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[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After a bitter struggle with a hostile City Council, prolonged for many months, Mayor Dunne gained a decisive victory for municipal ownership today, when, by a vote of 37 to 28, the City Council after an all-day session passed an ordinance providing for municipal ownership of street railroads, and another providing for their operation by the city. It now, apparently, only remains for the voters to give the first ordinance a two-thirds vote and a three-fifths vote on the second proposition. Mayor Dunne and his supporters claim that the referendum which will be taken at the coming spring election will be overwhelmingly in favor of the ordinance. Then the only bar to realization of municipal ownership will be a possible adverse decision in the courts affecting the validity of Mueller certificates by which the city expects to secure money [illegible] the transportation [illegible] on the Mayor that the validity of the Mueller certificates will be upheld.

Regardless of whatever fate may await Mayor Dunne's plans the question of franchise extension may be considered as definitely decided in the negative, from the fact that the majority report of the Transportation Committee recommending such extension was decisively defeated.

MAYOR'S FIRST VICTORY.

The victory which is declared to have put the street car companies out of the running and brought city ownership measureably nearer, was the first achieved by Mayor Dunne since his election. The hostile holdover element in the City Council had been able to block every move of the city administration while the Transportation Committee continued to negotiate with the street railway people for franchise extension despite Mayor Dunne's protests. Recently, however, outside influences were brought to bear upon the recalcitrant Aldermen. Indignation meetings were held in many wards and in some cases the speakers went to the extent of advising coats of tar and feathers for their representatives in the Council.

Mayor Dunne's charge in a recent speech made at Denver, that the traction interests had brought certain influences to bear upon the Aldermen precipitated a stormy scene in the Council when the Mayor, defying a resolution calling upon him to refrain from presiding over that body's deliberations, reiterated his charges and notified the obstructionists that they must correctly represent their contituens or accept the consequences. He called attention to the fact that at last spring's election every ward in the city voted for municipal ownership.

Today's meeting of the Council was the result of an agreement Monday night that the traction ordinances should be considered today by the committee of the whole.

REFORMERS MEDDLE.

While the uncertain element in the Council actually did the work for municipal ownership ordinances, the primary cause is said to have been the intereference of reform elements with the work of the Council committee on local transportation. The committee framed franchise extension ordinances which were acceptable to the traction companies. Then Victor F. Lawson called a meeting at the University Club ten days ago and informed the traction officials, as well as some of the Aldermen, that his newspapers would not support the ordinances unless certain amendments suggested by John M. Harlan, legal advisor to Judge Grosscup were embodied in the ordinances. The then majority of the Council referred the ordinances back to the committee for further consideration. The committee was unable to get any satisfactory statement from the traction companies regarding what they would accept in the way of amendments, so the ordinances, with amendments, came today before the committee for consideration, with the result that these franchise ordinances were shelved.

MIXED FAMILY RELATIONS.

Triple Wedding of Texans Who Thought They Were Courting in Secret.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

GALVESTON (Tex.) Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An interesting wedding ceremony, which makes two families one and at the same time somewhat confuses the relations they bear to each other, was today performed at McKinney. J. H. Schell, a widower with a grown son and a grown daughter, married Mrs. Francis M. Toby, a widow, who by her first marriage also has a grown son and a daughter.

At the triple wedding, today, James M. Shell, one of the grown sons, married Miss Bessie Toby, one of the grown daughters, and Luther Toby, the other grown son, married Miss Fanny Shell. A romantic feature was that each couple thought that they were conducting their courtship without the others' knowledge. The accidental finding of an open letter from Luther Toby to Fanny Shell exposed the understanding they had arrived at, which led to open declarations from the other two couples.

DOWIE FIRES TRIUMVIRATE.

BUT JUDGE BARNES SAYS NEW SYSTEM IS INSTALLED.

Business Managers Decide That Former Method of Operating Zion City's Industries Was Faulty—Son of "Elijah II" Returning from Jamaica in His Father's Behalf.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Despite a cipher message from Dowie to Deacon Speicher, ordering him to relinquish all authority at Zion City, it became evident today that the triumvirate, which includes Speicher, Barnes and Granger, will continue to "run things," as Judge Barnes declared that a brand-new system of business management has been installed and that when Dowie returns next summer he would devote himself exclusively to the religious interests of the community. Meanwhile, Gladstone Dowie is reported on the way from Jamaica to see, if possible, that his father [illegible] on Zion City [illegible]

Since the triumvirate has taken hold, it has come to the conclusion that the old system by which Zion City enterprises has been operated is faulty. Creditors have been informed that the bars will come down, if necessary, and no obstacles will be imposed to getting all possible profits. Judge Barnes denied the changes in the rules preventing establishment of drug stores and saloons and the practice of smoking were contemplated.

BIG GRAIN FIRM SUSPENDS.

Poor Run of Business Forces McReynolds & Company of Chicago to the Wall.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—Announcement was made this afternoon of the suspension of the grain and commission firm of McReynolds & Co. of this city, one of the best known firms on the Board of Trade. The affairs of the firm will be wound up and it will go out of business. The statement is made, however, that the creditors will be paid in full and that the assets of the concern are fully equal to the liabilities. The house has been a large handler of cash grain, and controls two elevators in this city and one in St. Louis. George S. McReynolds, who is the head of the firm, is president of the McReynolds Elevator Company and also of the Southern Elevator Company. He declined to make a statement.

General Manager F. H. Babcock of the firm said: "The suspension is due simply to high office expenses and a poor run of business."

ENGLAND ANNEXES ISLANDS.

VICTORIA (B. C.) Jan. 18.—The steamer Moana, which arrived today from Australia, brought news of the annexation by Great Britain of the Ashmore Islands, lying between Timor and Kings Sound, Australia. H.M.S. Cambrian went to the islands and hoisted the British flag. There was no sign of habitation or human life on the islands.

TRIAL OF PACKERS BEGINS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—The trial of the special pleas of J. Ogden Armour and the other packers and attorneys now under indictment for conspiracy to restrain trade and commerce was opened late today before Judge Humphrey in the United States District Court. Among the defendants in court at the opening of the case were J. Ogden Armour, Charles W. Armour, T. J. Connors, Edward Morris, Charles F. Swift, Edward Swift, Edward Cudahy and A. H. Veeder.

TURNS DOWN HIS BROTHER.

Gov. Folk Refuses Request of the State Treasurer for Convict's Pardon.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

JEFFERSON CITY (Mo.) Jan. 18.—Gov. Folk today refused a request from his brother, R. C. Folk, State Treasurer of Tennessee, for the pardon of William Payne, a negro, sentenced for five years from St. Louis for robbery.

VENEZUELA.

UNCLE SAM SENDS HIS STRONGEST FLEET.

"Fighting Bob" Evans Leaves Hampton Roads for the Caribbean.

France Already Has War Vessels Under Way—State Department Admits Provocation Sufficient for Her to Declare War—Minister Russell Unable to Secure Redress in Taigny's Case.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] All the information upon the situation in Venezuela which the State Department has amounts to this, that France has not yet determined upon the course which she thinks she ought to pursue to bring President Castro to a reconsideration of what she believes is an affront upon her honor through the person of M. Taigny, and that this country cannot determine upon a course of action until after it shall have learned the intentions of France.

Mr. Russell, United States Minister to Venezuela, is very ill, being confined to his rooms with tropical malaria, and is unable to communicate with the department. Meanwhile, the strongest fleet of the United States left Hampton Roads yesterday afternoon, under command of Rear Admiral Evans, for Culebra.

FRANCE HAS PROVOCATION.

It is admitted at the State Department that France seems to have sufficient provocation to declare war, but the officials outside of the accustomed reserve of the department, feel that they are incapable, under the circumstances, of predicting whether or not war could be declared and carried on by France without violating the rights of the treaty nations which have a very considerable interest in the custom duties of Venezuela. Great Britain, Germany, Italy and France herself, as well as the United States, have a very vital interest in the regular and continued collection of Venezuela customs under the treaty which followed the blockade of the Venezuelan coast three years ago.

CREDITOR POWERS MAY OBJECT.

War by France would disturb this collection and distribution among the international creditors, and for that reason there is some question whether the other creditor powers will permit France to undertake any prosecution of the war which will interfere with that process. The rights and duties of neutrals are very clearly defined in works upon international law, but the present case is unique. Upon the peaceable continuance of commerce in Venezuela depends the collection of adjudicated debts owing to four or five different nations.

The claims of Great Britain, Germany and Italy were made preferred by The Hague tribunal against the contention of the United States that a blockading power should not be made a police force in the collection of its debt, or the claims of its citizens.

THE MONROE DOCTRINE.

This situation is further complicated by the statement of the President in his last message to Congress, to the effect that even temporary occupation of the customhouses of an American country by a European power was a menace to the Monroe doctrine, but it is conceded that it is a difficult matter to interpret the word "temporary."

Under the English common law, possession and occupation of territory for the period of twenty years constitutes the best title which one can have, and it is pointed out in this respect that Great Britain has been in practical possession of Egypt for a longer period than this. On the other hand, it is realized here that if the United States should object to the temporary seizure of Venezuela territory as an act of war, this country would then be called upon to assume responsibility for the acts of President Castro toward M. Taigny.

TAIGNEY SAILS FOR CURACAO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CARACAS, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After waiting in vain for twenty-four hours for the French warships to come to remove M. Taigny, French Chargé d'Affaires, the Martinique sailed at midnight for Curacao in the hope of finding French warships there.

The reason given for the governmental decree expelling M. Jaccoux and M. Bourget, French cable chiefs at Caracas and La Guayra, is their disregard of the law, as well as the authority of the Federal power. M. Jaccoux refused to accept the notification of the taxation of the company and M. Bourget resisted the closing of the cable station at La Guayra.

REAR-ADMIRAL EVANS,
who sailed yesterday with fleet for Caribbean, to watch over interests of United States in case of war between France and Venezuela.

AMERICAN STUDENT ARRESTED IN RUSSIA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—News of the arrest in St. Petersburgh of William English Walling of Chicago was received here today. Mr. Walling went to St. Petersburg to study the social situation and was arrested because of his alleged sympathy for and participation with the revolutionary party. He is a grandson of William H. English, who ran for the vice-Presidency on the Democratic ticket in 1880.

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Jan. 18.—William English Walling is a son of Dr. Willoughby Walling, formerly United States Consul at Edinburgh, who lives in Chicago. William English Walling, the son, inherited a considerable part of the vast estate of his grandfather, William H. English, of this city, and has large property interests here. He visited his uncle, Capt. William T. English, here, a short time before he left this country for Russia, last April.

Capt. English, who was informed by the Associated Press this afternoon of his nephew's arrest, said: "I was not surprised to hear of the arrest, as he is a devoted adherent of Socialistic principles. Though only 28 years of age, he has led an active life. A graduate of the University of Chicago, he at once took up settlement work following his graduation, and he is well known to the prominent labor leaders of the country. He went to Russia to study labor conditions there and do some literary work in connection therewith for periodicals in this country.

"Of course, the family will take steps at once to protect the young man's interests. We are all very fond of him, personally, but we do not sympathize with his Socialistic ideas."

Capt. English said that he would at once telegraph to President Roosevelt, Vice-President Fairbanks and Senator Beveridge, asking them to see that Mr. Walling's interests are properly protected.

BRUTALLY SLAIN BY BLACKS.

Government Boring Party on Launch Put to Death by Natives While Ascending River.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VANCOUVER, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Advices by the steamer Moana state that news of a terrible massacre of blacks reached Sydney the day before the steamer sailed, in which nine men, six of them natives, were brutally slain.

A government boring party on an oil launch had left for Port Darwin and had put in at Port Keats. Two natives bound in irons for an offense were taken on board, to be transferred to another place. Going up the river, the irons were taken off. That night, the blacks succeeded in massacreing the entire party with the exception of one native boy, who jumped overboard and escaped. He brought the news to the authorities. The bodies were found considerably mutilated as the result of a hand-to-hand conflict which took place after the men were wounded.

Port Keats natives have a record for killing whites and the party was warned to have nothing to do with them because of their treachery.

Japanese Patrols Guarding Seal Rookeries of Copper Island Fire on Americans of Jap Crew.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VICTORIA (B. C.) Jan. 18.—Advices have been received of an attempted raid upon the seal rookeries of Copper Island, now guarded by Japanese patrols, by a Japanese sealing schooner, with several American sealers in her crew. William Dewett, formerly of San Francisco, was shot three times by the guards on shore.

News of the raid is given in a letter from Hakodate, which says: "One of the schooners tried to raid Copper rookeries, but could not make it stick."

The writer also stated that Dewett, though shot three times, jumped overboard and towed the boat with his comrades on board out of range of the rifles of the shore guards. The boat was riddled, but none of the occupants was killed.

The schooner Seifu Maru took seventeen sea otter skins last season some being valued at upwards of $1000 each.

SENATOR DEPEW ILL.

Several Physicians Visit His Home on His Unexpected Return to New York.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Depew returned to New York unexpectedly from Washington Wednesday night, and it was reported today that he was seriously ill at his home, No. 27 West Fifty-fourth street. It was said that a conference of physicians was held there in the afternoon, so critical was his condition considered.

While it was admitted at the house tonight that Senator Depew is ill, it was denied that his condition is at all alarming. It was acknowledged that several physicians had called during the day, but it was said that they had seen the Senator rather as personal friends than in their professional capacity. No information was given as to the nature of his illness.

It was said that no plans have been made for Senator Depew's return to Washington.

PRESIDENT APPLAUDS FRANTZ.

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Guthrie, Okla., says "Rough Rider" G. V. Frantz, recently appointed Governor of Oklahoma, received this message from President Roosevelt last night: "Have just read your address. It covers the ground. You will deliver the goods. Here's hoping."

IS HAPPY IN STRIPES.

After Serving Fifty Years, Only Another Crime Dries His Tears.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

AGRAM (Hungary) Jan. 18.—Ivan Palencsuk, who is 103 years old, was released from prison today after fifty years' confinement. He protested tearfully against his release, but in vain.

He immediately committed another crime in order to be reimprisoned.

BIGELOW DEFIANT.

Refuses Information to the Senate.

Will Not Tell What Engineers Declined to Go to the Isthmus.

Committee Refrains from Punishing Him, for the Time Being.

He Thought That He Was in Danger in Going Where Taft Did Not.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Poultney Bigelow, the magazine writer, whose arraignment of the administration and management of isthmian canal affairs in an article published in the Independent, which was denounced by Secretary of War Taft, proved to be a contumacious witness before the Senate Committee on Interoceanic Canals, today, and involved the committee in a controversy which caused two executive sessions and must be considered again tomorrow before action can be taken.

The recalcitrancy of the witness was shown as the result of a statement by him that many eminent engineers had declined to accept the employment of the government because of physical conditions on the isthmus. The committee demanded the names of such engineers, and Bigelow declined to give them, on the ground that to do so would be to violate confidence and subject these persons to embarrassments. He intimated that the displeasure of the administration would be exhibited in such manner that their "reputations would be worth nothing after the official replies had been concluded."

Two opportunities were given to Bigelow to answer the [illegible] but the advice [illegible] and the doors were ordered [illegible] for a second time.

PUNISHMENT MOOTED.

In executive session it developed that the committee was agreed that the offense of Bigelow was of such a nature that there could be no doubt of the committee's power to have him dealt with summarily. Senators Knox, Hopkins and Morgan favored a certification of his recalcitrancy to the Vice-President for submission of the case to United States Attorney Baker for the District of Columbia. This course met opposition from Senators Gorman and Simmons, on the ground that it would prevent further examination of the witness on other subjects mentioned in the magazine article, which makes charges against the canal management.

Several members of the committee said that Bigelow's usefulness as a witness was at an end, and urged and argued so vehemently against any delay in proceedings against Mr. Bigelow that Senator Gorman and Senator Simmons declared that their purpose seemed to be to interfere with the thorough investigation of the affairs of the canal which was ordered by the Senate.

When it was apparent there could be no action today, a motion to adjourn until tomorrow was carried. This was with the understanding that the record of today's hearing should be printed and in the hands of the committee at tomorrow's meeting. Bigelow was commanded to hold himself ready to appear tomorrow if wanted.

READY FOR PUNISHMENT.

Bigelow, in declining to disclose to the Senate Canal Committee the source of his information, declared: "The committee can put me on bread and water, or even condemn me to Colon, but it cannot compel me to divulge that which was given me in confidence."

When, on motion of Mr. Morgan, the oath was presented Bigelow at the beginning of the hearing today, he said he was a Quaker, and therefore he was permitted to "affirm" rather than "swear." He was then asked to tell his story in his own way.

"I am embarrassed to appear in any capacity before a respectable body after having been described as a sensation monger from an official source," said Bigelow.

He asked to be allowed to put himself right, and proceeded to tell of his public works, where he had lectured, and the respectable bodies that have done him honor. He said he was not attempting to get advertising or to sell his books by such testimony, but believed that in the face of the attack made upon him such testimony is pertinent. In terms of great familiarity, he referred to men of letters and publicists of high standing in an effort to set himself right.

AS TO WHAT HE SAW.

'As to what I saw personally on the isthmus," said Bigelow, "I will say that I had the better part of two days, arriving at Colon at 3 in the morning."

Going to a map of the isthmus, he pointed out that laborers were landed in an oozy swamp of a pestilential character, and he asserted that the sanitation was of the worst. He said that to use names would subject the persons who helped him in getting his information to embarrassment, and "make their names worth nothing af-

ter the time official replies had been concluded." In reference to his article in the Independent, he said that it had been declined by Harper's and Collier's Weeklies before it was accepted by the Independent.

Replying to an inquiry by Mr. Gorman, the witness said he had not represented any American interests on the isthmus. Returning to a discussion of his visit to the isthmus, Bigelow said he spent most of the time investigating sanitary conditions. He thought he had been in grave danger there because of the fact that Secretary Taft and Gov. Magoon had not been through these swamps, and that there must have been some good reason for their avoidance of these places.

Describing conditions, he declares that there are no sanitary deposits. His testimony was general, and on motion of Mr. Knox, the witness was instructed to confine it to stating the facts on which he based his article on the management of canal affairs. He said that his article was based on a personal visit to 100 shacks [illegible] Secretary Taft, Mr. Stevens and others had pronounced to be in a shameful condition, and which he found to be without water or sanitation. [illegible] was interrupted again, and said impressions were valueless, and to give facts.

"There is a fact," said the witness, "that many engineers of note declined to accept government employment clearing up these sanitary conditions."

"Name them," demanded Mr. Knox.

The witness said he would be embarrassing them to have their names made public, he said.

HE NAMES FREEMAN.

Upon insistence being made, Bigelow gave the name of John Freeman of Boston, and said there were others, but he declined to give the names.

Several members of the committee, notably Mr. Hopkins, Mr. Knox and Mr. Simmons, urged that Bigelow be compelled to answer.

"Mr. Roosevelt can tell you," said Bigelow.

"Mr. Roosevelt is not on the stand," said Mr. Knox severely.

It was denied by Mr. Hopkins and Mr. Kittredge that there is any controversy between the Secretary of War and the witness. After a long discussion, Mr. Knox finally moved that the witness be compelled to give the names of all persons who furnished him information concerning affairs on the isthmus, or to confine his testimony to matters of which he was an eyewitness. The motion was carried, and the witness instructed to proceed. Beginning a discursive form of testimony, in which generalities abounded, Bigelow was brought to an abrupt pause by several members of the committee. Knox said:

"I insist, Mr. Bigelow, that you adapt yourself to the ruling of the committee and give the information as demanded."

"You can put me on bread and water or even condemn me to Colon, but you cannot make me disclose that which has been given me in confidence," replied the witness.

REPORT ON MORTALITY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PANAMA, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The report of Dr. W. C. Gorgas, head of the sanitary department in the canal zone, for December, shows there were only three deaths from disease last month among the 4000 men on the gold pay roll of the Canal Commission. Among the 18,000 negroes in the zone there were seventy deaths. One-half of these were caused by pneumonia.

There has been no case of yellow fever in Panama since early in November. Colon in December.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3:20 this afternoon, the doors of the committee room were opened, and Bigelow was interrogated by Mr. Morgan. His attention was called to his statement that Freeman had declined to accept a position with the government on canal work. The witness said he had not been told personally by Freeman that he would not take the place. He was asked to name others, but declined. He said, however, that he had had conversations with Dunlap, editor of the Mining Journal, William Barclay Parsons and Freeman, as well as others.

"Have any of these gentlemen said they would not be willing to go to the isthmus to undertake engineering work because of physical conditions or other reasons of that character?" said Mr. Morgan.

"It would be very unfair to these gentlemen for me to answer that question," replied Bigelow.

Continuing, he declared that he would not quote any of these gentlemen, and he declined to disclose any conversations with persons who had not given him authority to do so. He said that Tracy Robinson and others he had mentioned in his article had been covered with mud by administration officials, and that he would not think of embarrassing others. He offered to quote parts of a letter from Robinson; but would not put in the entire letter.

"I would like to withdraw the names I have already given," said Bigelow, but he was told that he could not withdraw nothing; that he had been called to tell the truth and would be expected to tell it on all matters on which he claimed to have knowledge.

HARD WORK SCARED HIM.

WHY FREEMAN SPOKE UP.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Speaking of Poultney Bigelow's statements before the Senate committee today, John R. Freeman of this city said:

"Mr. Bigelow probably misapprehended what I said while conversing with him when he was here a few days ago. After his lecture at Brown University, I spoke of the difficulty of the entire undertaking, and remarked that those who had the proposition in hand had the entire sympathy of all engineers.

"I meant by that, it was a hard job, and there was a deal of uphill work before the engineers who were engaged upon it. Certainly I made no reference to objections based upon the physical conditions of the men or their sanitary surroundings, because I entertained no such thoughts.

"I have not been asked to go to Panama, but had I been and had I objected to going, it would not have been because of anything other than the very hard work which so vast an undertaking must entail."

ARIZONA COPPER COMPANY.

BOSTON (Mass.) Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At a meeting of the directors of the Arizona Commercial Copper Company this afternoon, Nathan L. Amster was elected president and Robert T. McKeever secretary and treasurer. The general offices of the company will be at No. 79 Milk street. The American Loan and Trust Company will be transfer agent for the stock and the Federal Trust Company register.

WORTH knowing—that Allcock's are the original and only genuine porous plasters; all others are imitations.

KEEPING FIREARMS OUT OF MOROCCO.

French Delegates Agree to Plan for Repression of Contraband—Committee to Report Thereon Saturday. Britain Presents Stiff Attitude.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ALGECIRAS, Jan. 18.—The delegates to the Moroccan conference held a private session lasting two hours, this afternoon. The session resulted practically in an agreement on the main lines of a plan for the repression of contraband arms entering Morocco. It was feared that this question of contraband might lead to Franco-German tension, as to who would carry out the repressive measures proposed, but this situation happily appears to have been avoided. The only divergence was a statement made by the Moroccan delegates that they could not permit repression of the hunting for arms without first referring the matter to the Sultan.

The delegates were in accord upon the need of all the powers, assisted by Morocco, in passing laws penalizing the introduction of contraband. This followed a proposition submitted by Spain which was designed to reconcile the difference between France and Germany. A committee of five was appointed to study and report on a final project at the session to be held Saturday.

GREAT BRITAIN STIFF.

Today's meeting has strengthened the feeling that the results of the conference will be satisfactory. One danger in the conference is considered to be in the stiff attitude of Great Britain. France, it seems, is disposed to discuss with Germany the basis of an agreement, but whether Great Britain will favor such an agreement is not known. However, nearly every one thinks that the longer the preliminaries are kept up the less will be the danger, and that time alone will aid in harmonizing the various differences.

Active telegraphing is going on between the ambassadors and their respective capitals.

Something of a flutter was caused among the diplomatists today by the news that smallpox exists here. Rear-Admiral Sigsbee, who learned this fact from the authorities at Gibraltar, issued an order forbidding any one belonging to his squadron to go ashore.

SQUADRON LEAVES GIBRALTAR.

The American cruiser squadron, consisting of the armored cruiser Brooklyn, flying the flag of Rear-Admiral Sigsbee, and the protected cruisers Galveston, Tacoma and Chattanooga, sailed from Gibraltar for Tangier this morning. The appearance of the warships, with the Brooklyn leading, in single formation, was exceedingly smart.

The squadron will remain three days at Tangier and thence will go to Algiers and other Mediterranean points. The Galveston and Chattanooga expect to be ordered to the China station later.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The storm has moved rapidly eastward from the Rocky Mountain slope, across the Upper Mississippi Valley and the Western lake region, accompanied by light rain and snow, and another storm of considerable magnitude has overspread the extreme Northwest. The temperatures has fallen in the western portion of this forecast district. The temperature in the Northwest, however, is still moderate. Chicago temperature range was from 28 to 38 degs. Middle West temperatures, the dash indicating temperature below zero.

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	30	24
Bismarck	14	2
Cairo	54	38
Cheyenne	58	26
Cincinnati	52	28
Cleveland	40	20
Concordia	48	30
Davenport	30	20
Denver	44	32
Des Moines	40	20
Detroit	38	24
Devil's Lake	10	0
Dodge City	56	26
Dubuque	30	16
Duluth	20	6
Edmonton	6	0
Escanaba	28	18
Grand Rapids	34	22
Green Bay	30	10
Helena	26	22
Huron	24	10
Indianapolis	42	30
Kansas City	40	34
Marquette	28	16
Memphis	62	44
Milwaukee	34	16
Minnedosa	6	—2
North Platte	54	26
Omaha	30	22
Rapid City	54	20
St. Louis	42	32
St. Paul	30	14
Sault Ste. Marie	22	14
Springfield, Ill.	38	28
Springfield, Mo.	52	34
Wichita	54	34
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COMEDY CROWDS COURT.

Pathos gave way to comedy today in Judge Mack's court, where Mrs. Hallie Rhoades is suing her husband, Edward J. Rhoades, of Chicago Lawn, for divorce. Cruelty specifications consisting of dangling a live mouse in front of his wife's face and pelting her with overripe tomatoes were disclosed. This afternoon, the husband's side was told after the court bailiff had cleared a hallway to the crowded courtroom for witnesses and principals. Miss Dorothea Cross, a stenographer, testified that when Attorney Albert H. Propper, representing the prosecution, was not caressing Mrs. Rhoades he was caressing her mother, Mrs. Mary Black. Anthony J. Schmidt, law clerk, testified that he once saw Attorney Propper and Mrs. Rhoades dancing a two-step in the office of the man of law. The only music, according to the young man, was the sound that came from the lips of the man and the woman as they met in kisses. Miss Cross fainted while on the stand and had to be carried from the courtroom, while Attorney Propper heaped what was termed an insult upon an aged witness and came near being sent to jail.

CHICAGO WOMEN WOULD VOTE.

Efforts of the United Women's Clubs of Chicago to have the city charter commission incorporate a clause in the proposed charter providing for woman suffrage on all municipal and school questions at future elections in the city were discussed at Lincoln Center last night at a meeting under the auspices of the South Side Woman's Suffrage Association. An enthusiastic audience of 300 women were present. A message of encouragement for the movement from Susan B. Anthony was read to the audience.

SPRUANCE-LOFTIS.

The marriage of Miss Harmon Spruance, daughter of Mrs. Harmon Spruance, 2400 South Park avenue, and Samuel T. A. Loftis took place this evening at the family residence, the service being performed by Rev. Edward Dunne, Chancellor of the Roman Catholic diocese of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Loftis will go to Southern California for a wedding trip and will probably remain until spring.

ESTATE GOES TO SCIENCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DAVENPORT (Iowa) Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] By the terms of the will of W. C. Putnam, opened here today, the Davenport Academy of Sciences becomes one of the most heavily endowed institutions of its kind in the world. Mr. Putnam leaves an estate of $700,000, with provisions for limited income to relatives, the remainder of the revenues to be paid to the academy and the entire estate to go to that institution with the death of his surviving brothers and sisters. His art collection and library, each the most valuable private collection in the State, are left to the academy.

MRS. CLEVELAND SELLS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OMAHA, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Grover Cleveland today sold her real estate holdings in Omaha to Edward Rosewater. The consideration was not given out.

DAN MURRAY DANGEROUSLY ILL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The well-known sporting writer Dan Murray is dangerously ill here with pneumonia.

WORRYING THE HEBREWS.

Charges of "Christianizing" His Pupils Made Against Principal of Brooklyn School.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—For four hours last night Frank F. Harding, principal of public school No. 141 in Brooklyn, was put through a rigid examination on a charge of "systematically Christianizing his pupils," 75 per cent. of whom are said to be Hebrews. The charge was made in writing and signed by the heads of sixty families, all Hebrews. It was said that Principal Harding read the Bible, spoke of Christ and had holy pictures on the wall.

The principal admitted part of the charge, but denied the rest. He said he read quotations from the scriptures, but not from the Bible, the quotations being in a small book entitled "Gems of Wisdom." He did not deny that there might be a few holy pictures on the walls.

"Did you read the Lord's Prayer to the children?" asked the attorney for those making the charges.

"No," the principal answered with enthusiasm. "I know the Lord's Prayer, and recited it to the children."

WHITTIER OR WED?

Father of Riverside Girl Says She's Incorrigible—Lover Waits.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, January 18.—Pretty Florence Llewellyn is a prisoner at the County Jail on complaint by her father that she is incorrigible. The girl is a handsome youngster under 16 years of age.

She informed the court yesterday that she was engaged to be married next month to Samuel Porter, son of James Porter of Casa Blanca. Young Porter was in court today waiting for his bride, whom he desired to marry at once to save her from a sentence to the Whittier State School during her minority.

Florence's father says that the girl is not yet 15 years of age, although she might readily pass for 17. The girl is represented by Attorney W. G. Irving, who was appointed by the court yesterday. Today she had a whole bevy of girls of her own age or thereabouts at the jail waiting to assist at her marriage, but, as the District Attorney was absent in Corona on legal business the case was adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

HAZING OF BRUTAL NATURE.

Three Fourth-class Men Testify Against Midshipman Bloebaum. Middies Resign.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ANNAPOLIS (Md.) Jan. 18.—Hazing of a brutal nature was revealed during the trial of Midshipman Chester A. A. Bloebaum, today, more plainly than in any of the previous proceedings. Three fourth-class men testified without the slightest hesitation that they had been hazed by Bloebaum until they were utterly exhausted, one severe physical exercise after another being required of them until they lacked power to continue.

The most severe accusation was contained in the evidence of Edwin K. Caldwell of Kentucky, who said that Bloebaum had hazed and abused him because he would not make arrangements for Bloebaum to be introduced to a certain young lady of the fourth classmen's acquaintance.

Bloebaum is an appointee of Congressman Champ Clark, who said recently on the floor of the House of Representatives that he would arm a youth he sent to Annapolis with a bowie knife and hatchet. Bloebaum did not go on the stand, nor offer any witnesses in his defense.

FIELD'S CORSE IN HOME CITY.

FUNERAL AT RESIDENCE TODAY WILL BE SIMPLE.

No Building in Chicago Large Enough to Hold Half the Number of People Who Would Attend Public Services—Ten Thousand Employees to Have Memorial Meeting.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—The body of Marshall Field arrived at Chicago today in a special train over the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad. A large number of the friends of Field were in waiting. The casket was placed in the hearse and it was at once driven to the Field residence on Prairie avenue. The funeral will be held at the residence tomorrow, and will be simple in character.

So many requests for admission to the funeral were made that it was found that there would not be a building in Chicago sufficiently large to hold one-half of the people who would endeavor to attend the services, and it was at the last moment decided to abandon the idea of a public funeral because of the inability to make the necessary arrangements in so short a time for a funeral of such magnitude. The services at the house will consist of a simple musical service and a brief address by Rev. J. A. Morrison of the First Presbyterian Church. The body will be placed in the receiving vault at Graceland Cemetery until arrangements are made for final interment.

The employés of Marshall Field, numbering 10,000, will hold a memorial service tomorrow afternoon in the Auditorium. Because of the inability of the hall to accommodate all of them, it has been found necessary to restrict attendance at the meeting to the older employés of the company, and admission will be only by card.

Chicago went into mourning today. From the Board of Trade, most of the banks and practically all of the big wholesale and retail stores, flags were flown at half-mast, while the Field stores remained silent behind closed doors and drawn shades. Almost every organization devoted to the interest of the development of Chicago adopted resolutions honoring the memory of Field. The State-street merchants met and agreed to close their stores tomorrow from 12 to 1 o'clock while the funeral is in progress.

The Board of Trade, of which Field was a member, will stop trading for the day at 12:30 o'clock, and the Crerar Library, of which he was a director under the will of John Crerar, will be closed after 11 a.m. The Chicago Stock Exchange will close at 12:30 o'clock.

WOULD UNMASK TRAITORS.

Demented Woman Who Wanted to Reveal "Startling Things" to President is Arrested.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Mrs. Elizabeth M. Holmes of New York is detained at the house of detention here, having been arrested last night on a telegram signed by William M. Holmes of New York. The telegram read: "Arrest my wife; believed demented."

When Mrs. Holmes was taken into custody she stated that she had some papers for President Roosevelt and Secretary Taft that would reveal startling things to them.

"I propose to unmask at least three traitors," said Mrs. Holmes. "I represent Mrs. Elizabeth Granniss, president of the National Purity Congress and an exponent of woman's rights.

"I have a letter to the Vice-President and I am otherwise clothed with good credentials and authority. I intend seeing the President as soon as possible and will then return home. I will be accompanied by some influential persons. I do not propose to be ejected from the White House as was Mrs. Morris.

"Recently I wrote to Dr. Minor Morris and I will notify him of my presence here. He knows something about the secret of my mission. I am surprised at the telegram purporting to come from my husband and I am not ready to believe that he sent it."

Mrs. Holmes's husband has been telegraphed to.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—William W. Holmes was in communication yesterday with the United States District Attorney in Brooklyn. He said he desired to take steps for the removal of Mrs. Holmes to an asylum. Mrs. Holmes lived with her husband in Brooklyn, but had been absent from home two days. It is said she has been sending letters to President Roosevelt for several months, accusing him of being the head of a gang which she thought was persecuting her.

OBITUARY.

Dr. Swan M. Burnett.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Dr. Swan M. Burnett, a noted oculist of this city and the former husband of Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, the authoress, died suddenly today of heart disease.

NOTED CHINESE SEEING THINGS.

GOV. MICKEY OF NEBRASKA GREETS COMMISSIONERS.

From the Agricultural Station of State University They are Taken to the Penitentiary—Special Convocation of Students—West's Agricultural Marvels Delight Them.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LINCOLN (Neb.) Jan. 18.—The Imperial Chinese Commission, sent to this country for the purpose of studying educational and industrial conditions, arrived at Lincoln today, in charge of Prof. Jenks of Cornell University, the special representative of President Roosevelt, for the only stop scheduled on the journey between San Francisco and Chicago.

Chief Commissioner Tuan Fang and the forty-two others who are in the party were met at the special train by representatives of Chancellor Andrews of the University of Nebraska and Gov. Mickey. They were escorted to the agricultural station of the State University and to the State Penitentiary. Later, at the Lincoln Hotel, D. E. Thompson, recently named for ambassador to Mexico, was host at a luncheon. The only address scheduled for the luncheon was by Chancellor Andrews, although informal remarks were made by others.

This afternoon, the programme included a visit to the State University, a special convocation of the students in honor of the commissioners, and a tour of the city. The commission is especially interested in the agricultural methods followed in Nebraska, and the visit to the State farm was one of the most important features of the stay in this city.

The special train arrived about eleven hours late. Prof. Jenks said the visitors had been delighted with their journey. They had marvelled at the great agricultural possibilities of the West and the vast stretches of territory through which they passed.

EIGHTEEN MINERS KILLED.

Terrific Explosion in West Virginia Mine Causes Hills to Tremble. Blast Ignited Dust.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHARLESTON (W. Va.) Jan. 18.—Eighteen men are believed to have been killed in a terrific explosion today in one of the mines of the Detroit and Kanawha Coal Company at Detroit, on Paint Creek, this county, twenty miles from here.

The explosion occurred at 12:30 o'clock. The force of the explosion was so great that the hills trembled. Tons of wreckage and débris was hurled from the mouth of the mine, blocking the entrance and making the work of rescue difficult.

The first body reached was that of J. P. Neal, which was discovered 150 yards from the entrance. The mine superintendent says that the other men were working much farther back than Neal and he has no hope of reaching them until tomorrow morning. Even though the men survive the explosion, it is almost certain that they will fall victims to the deadly after damp.

The cause of the explosion is not yet fully determined, but it is believed that a blast ignited the dust which accumulated in the mines.

TAMMANY AND M'CLELLAN.

Conference to Settle Their Differences Will be Held Next Sunday Night.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is understood that a conference of great importance to friends of Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, is to be held in this city Sunday night, at which an effort will be made to heal the differences between Mayor McClellan and the forces in Tammany Hall allied with Murphy.

Representative W. Bourke Cockran is hastening eastward from California, to arrive in New York in time to be present at this meeting. He is coming at the request of Murphy. The Tammany leader believes that he will be able to persuade Mayor McClellan and his friends not to provoke an open break in the Democratic organization in New York county.

Murphy's friends will base their argument for a reconciliation upon the fact that the Republicans are in such a state of disorganization that the Democrats have an excellent opportunity to capture the State next fall, and that in the interest of the success of the party, it is necessary for all factions to work in harmony.

ITS FIRST ACT IS OMINOUS.

Premier National Convention Organized by a Political Party in History of Russia Opens.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 18, 7:45 p. m.—The first national convention organized by a political party in the history of Russia, that of the Constitutional Democrats, opened here today. Two hundred and fifty delegates, representing sixty provincial organizations, were present.

The first act of the delegates was significant of the trend of the convention, the temporary chairman, Prof. Karrff, calling on the assemblage to rise in memory of the victims of Red Sunday, several of whom were shot not far from the hall where the convention is being held.

Under the chairmanship of Petrunkovitch of Tver, the convention took up discussion of the first topic on the programme, the party's attitude toward the elections to the national assembly.

WILL SHOOT SOCIALISTS.

Severe Precautions Taken in German Empire to Prevent Spread of the Movement There.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERLIN, Jan. 18.—Severe precautions have been taken to prevent the spread of the Socialistic movement. At Dresden and Leipsic, all meetings have been forbidden by the police. The commanding general of the First Army Corps, it is learned, from Koenigsburg, has ordered the troops in all the garrisons of East Prussia to be ready with ammunition in case of riots.

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ter the time official replies had been concluded." In reference to his article in the Independent, he said that it had been declined by Harper's and Collier's Weeklies before it was accepted by the Independent.

Replying to an inquiry by Mr. Gorman, the witness said he had not represented any American interests on the isthmus. Returning to a discussion of his visit to the isthmus, Bigelow said he spent most of the time investigating sanitary conditions. He thought he had been in grave danger there because of the fact that Secretary Taft and Gov. Magoon had not been through these swamps, and that there must have been some good reason for their avoidance of these places.

Describing conditions, he declares that there are no sanitary deposits. His testimony was general, and on motion of Mr. Knox, the witness was instructed to confine it to stating the facts on which he based his article on the mismanagement of canal affairs. He replied that his article was based on his personal visit to 100 shacks which Secretary Taft, Mr. Stevens and Mr. Shonts had pronounced to be in good, healthful condition, and which he found to be without water or sanitation. He was interrupted again, and told that impressions were valueless, and asked to give facts.

"Well, here is a fact," said the witness. "Many engineers of note declined to accept government employment in clearing up these sanitary conditions."

"Name them," demanded Mr. Knox.

"I think it would be embarrassing to them to have their names made public," he said.

HE NAMES FREEMAN.

Upon insistence being made, Bigelow gave the name of John Freeman of Boston, and said there were others, but he declined to give the names.

Several members of the committee, notably Mr. Hopkins, Mr. Knox and Mr. Simmons, urged that Bigelow be compelled to answer.

"Mr. Roosevelt can tell you," said Bigelow.

"Mr. Roosevelt is not on the stand," said Mr. Knox severely.

It was denied by Mr. Hopkins and Mr. Kittredge that there is any controversy between the Secretary of War and the witness. After a long discussion, Mr. Knox finally moved that the witness be compelled to give the names of all persons who furnished him information concerning affairs on the isthmus, or to confine his testimony to matters of which he was an eyewitness. The motion was carried, and the witness instructed to proceed. Beginning a discursive form of testimony, in which generalities abounded, Bigelow was brought to an abrupt pause by several members of the committee. Knox said:

"I insist, Mr. Bigelow, that you adapt yourself to the ruling of the committee and give the information as demanded."

"You can put me on bread and water or even condemn me to Colon, but you cannot make me disclose that which has been given me in confidence," replied the witness.

REPORT ON MORTALITY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PANAMA, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The report of Dr. W. C. Gorgas, head of the sanitary department in the canal zone, for December, shows there were only three deaths from disease last month among the 4000 men on the gold pay roll of the Canal Commission. Among the 18,000 negroes in the zone there were seventy deaths. One-half of these were caused by pneumonia.

There has been no case of yellow fever in Panama since early in November. Colon in December.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3:20 this afternoon, the doors of the committee room were opened, and Bigelow was interrogated by Mr. Morgan. His attention was called to his statement that Freeman had declined to accept a position with the government on canal work. The witness said he had not been told personally by Freeman that he would not take the place. He was asked to name others, but declined. He said, however, that he had had conversations with Dunlap, editor of the Mining Journal, William Barclay Parsons and Freeman, as well as others.

"Have any of these gentlemen said they would not be willing to go to the isthmus to undertake engineering work because of physical conditions or other reasons of that character?" said Mr. Morgan.

"It would be very unfair to these gentlemen for me to answer that question," replied Bigelow.

Continuing, he declared that he would not quote any of these gentlemen, and he declined to disclose any conversations with persons who had not given him authority to do so. He said that Tracy Robinson and others he had mentioned in his article had been covered with mud by administration officials, and that he would not think of embarrassing others. He offered to quote parts of a letter from Robinson, but would not put in the entire letter.

"I would like to withdraw the names I have already given," said Bigelow, but he was told that he could not withdraw nothing; that he had been called to tell the truth and would be expected to tell it on all matters on which he claimed to have knowledge.

HARD WORK SCARED HIM.

WHY FREEMAN SPOKE UP.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Speaking of Poultney Bigelow's statements before the Senate committee today, John R. Freeman of this city said:

"Mr. Bigelow probably misapprehended what I said while conversing with him when he was here a few days ago. After his lecture at Brown University, I spoke of the difficulty of the entire undertaking, and remarked that those who had the proposition in hand had the entire sympathy of all engineers.

"I meant by that, it was a hard job, and there was a deal of uphill work before the engineers who were engaged upon it. Certainly I made no reference to objections based upon the physical conditions of the men or their sanitary surroundings, because I entertained no such thoughts.

"I have not been asked to go to Panama, but had I been and had I objected to going, it would not have been because of anything other than the very hard work which so vast an undertaking must entail."

ARIZONA COPPER COMPANY.

BOSTON (Mass.) Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At a meeting of the directors of the Arizona Commercial Copper Company this afternoon, Nathan L. Amster was elected president and Robert T. McKeever secretary and treasurer. The general offices of the company will be at No. 79 Milk street. The American Loan and Trust Company will be transfer agent for the stock and the Federal Trust Company register.

WORTH knowing—that Allcock's are the original and only genuine porous plasters; all others are imitations.

KEEPING FIREARMS OUT OF MOROCCO.

French Delegates Agree to Plan for Repression of Contraband—Committee to Report Thereon Saturday. Britain Presents Stiff Attitude.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ALGECIRAS, Jan. 18.—The delegates to the Moroccan conference held a private session lasting two hours, this afternoon. The session resulted practically in an agreement on the main lines of a plan for the repression of contraband arms entering Morocco. It was feared that this question of contraband might lead to Franco-German tension, as to who would carry out the repressive measures proposed, but this situation happily appears to have been avoided. The only divergence was a statement made by the Moroccan delegates that they could not permit repression of the hunting for arms without first referring the matter to the Sultan.

The delegates were in accord upon the need of all the powers, assisted by Morocco, in passing laws penalizing the introduction of contraband. This followed a proposition submitted by Spain which was designed to reconcile the difference between France and Germany. A committee of five was appointed to study and report on a final project at the session to be held Saturday.

GREAT BRITAIN STIFF.

Today's meeting has strengthened the feeling that the results of the conference will be satisfactory. One danger in the conference is considered to be in the stiff attitude of Great Britain. France, it seems, is disposed to discuss with Germany the basis of an agreement, but whether Great Britain will favor such an agreement is not known. However, nearly every one thinks that the longer the preliminaries are kept up the less will be the danger, and that time alone will aid in harmonizing the various differences.

Active telegraphing is going on between the ambassadors and their respective capitals.

Something of a flutter was caused among the diplomatists today by the news that smallpox exists here. Rear-Admiral Sigsbee, who learned this fact from the authorities at Gibraltar, issued an order forbidding any one belonging to his squadron to go ashore.

SQUADRON LEAVES GIBRALTAR.

The American cruiser squadron, consisting of the armored cruiser Brooklyn, flying the flag of Rear-Admiral Sigsbee, and the protected cruisers Galveston, Tacoma and Chattanooga, sailed from Gibraltar for Tangier this morning. The appearance of the warships, with the Brooklyn leading, in single formation, was exceedingly smart.

The squadron will remain three days at Tangier and thence will go to Algiers and other Mediterranean points. The Galveston and Chattanooga expect to be ordered to the China station later.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The storm has moved rapidly eastward from the Rocky Mountain slope, across the Upper Mississippi Valley and the Western lake region, accompanied by light rain and snow, and another storm of considerable magnitude has overspread the extreme Northwest. The temperatures has fallen in the western portion of this forecast district. The temperature in the Northwest, however, is still moderate. Chicago temperature range was from 28 to 38 degs. Middle West temperatures, the dash indicating temperature below zero.

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	30	24
Bismarck	14	2
Cairo	54	38
Cheyenne	58	26
Cincinnati	52	28
Cleveland	40	20
Concordia	48	30
Davenport	30	20
Denver	44	32
Des Moines	40	20
Detroit	38	24
Devil's Lake	10	0
Dodge City	56	26
Dubuque	30	16
Duluth	20	6
Edmonton	6	0
Escanaba	28	18
Grand Rapids	34	22
Green Bay	30	10
Helena	26	22
Huron	24	10
Indianapolis	42	30
Kansas City	40	34
Marquette	28	16
Memphis	62	44
Milwaukee	34	16
Minnedosa	6	—2
North Platte	54	26
Omaha	30	22
Rapid City	54	20
St. Louis	42	32
St. Paul	30	14
Sault Ste. Marie	22	14
Springfield, Ill.	38	28
Springfield, Mo.	52	34
Wichita	54	34
Williston	12	—10

COMEDY CROWDS COURT.

Pathos gave way to comedy today in Judge Mack's court, where Mrs. Hallie Rhoades is suing her husband, Edward J. Rhoades, of Chicago Lawn, for divorce. Cruelty specifications consisting of dangling a live mouse in front of his wife's face and pelting her with overripe tomatoes were disclosed. This afternoon, the husband's side was told after the court bailiff had cleared a hallway to the crowded courtroom for witnesses and principals. Miss Dorothea Cross, a stenographer, testified that when Attorney Albert H. Propper, representing the prosecution, was not caressing Mrs. Rhoades he was caressing her mother, Mrs. Mary Black. Anthony J. Schmidt, law clerk, testified that he once saw Attorney Propper and Mrs. Rhoades dancing a two-step in the office of the man of law. The only music, according to the young man, was the sound that came from the lips of the man and the woman as they met in kisses. Miss Cross fainted while on the stand and had to be carried from the courtroom, while Attorney Propper heaped what was termed an insult upon an aged witness and came near being sent to jail.

CHICAGO WOMEN WOULD VOTE.

Efforts of the United Women's Clubs of Chicago to have the city charter commission incorporate a clause in the proposed charter providing for woman suffrage on all municipal and school questions at future elections in the city were discussed at Lincoln Center last night at a meeting under the auspices of the South Side Woman's Suffrage Association. An enthusiastic audience of 300 women were present. A message of encouragement for the movement from Susan B. Anthony was read to the audience.

SPRUANCE-LOFTIS.

The marriage of Miss Harmon Spruance, daughter of Mrs. Harmon Spruance, 2400 South Park avenue, and Samuel T. A. Loftis took place this evening at the family residence, the service being performed by Rev. Edward Dunne, Chancellor of the Roman Catholic diocese of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Loftis will go to Southern California for a wedding trip and will probably remain until spring.

ESTATE GOES TO SCIENCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DAVENPORT (Iowa) Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] By the terms of the will of W. C. Putnam, opened here today, the Davenport Academy of Sciences becomes one of the most heavily endowed institutions of its kind in the world. Mr. Putnam leaves an estate of $700,000, with provisions for limited income to relatives, the remainder of the revenues to be paid to the academy and the entire estate to go to that institution with the death of his surviving brothers and sisters. His art collection and library, each the most valuable private collection in the State, are left to the academy.

MRS. CLEVELAND SELLS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OMAHA, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Grover Cleveland today sold her real estate holdings in Omaha to Edward Rosewater. The consideration was not given out.

DAN MURRAY DANGEROUSLY ILL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The well-known sporting writer Dan Murray is dangerously ill here with pneumonia.

WORRYING THE HEBREWS.

Charges of "Christianizing" His Pupils Made Against Principal of Brooklyn School.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—For four hours last night Frank F. Harding, principal of public school No. 141 in Brooklyn, was put through a rigid examination on a charge of "systematically Christianizing his pupils," 75 per cent. of whom are said to be Hebrews. The charge was made in writing and signed by the heads of sixty families, all Hebrews. It was said that Principal Harding read the Bible, spoke of Christ and had holy pictures on the wall.

The principal admitted part of the charge, but denied the rest. He said he read quotations from the scriptures, but not from the Bible, the quotations being in a small book entitled "Gems of Wisdom." He did not deny that there might be a few holy pictures on the walls.

"Did you read the Lord's Prayer to the children?" asked the attorney for those making the charges.

"No," the principal answered with enthusiasm. "I know the Lord's Prayer, and recited it to the children."

WHITTIER OR WED?

Father of Riverside Girl Says She's Incorrigible—Lover Waits.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, January 18.—Pretty Florence Llewellyn is a prisoner at the County Jail on complaint by her father that she is incorrigible. The girl is a handsome youngster under 16 years of age.

She informed the court yesterday that she was engaged to be married next month to Samuel Porter, son of James Porter of Casa Blanca. Young Porter was in court today waiting for his bride, whom he desired to marry at once to save her from a sentence to the Whittier State School during her minority.

Florence's father says that the girl is not yet 15 years of age, although she might readily pass for 17. The girl is represented by Attorney W. G. Irving, who was appointed by the court yesterday. Today she had a whole bevy of girls of her own age or thereabouts at the jail waiting to assist at her marriage, but, as the District Attorney was absent in Corona on legal business the case was adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

HAZING OF BRUTAL NATURE.

Three Fourth-class Men Testify Against Midshipman Bloebaum. Middies Resign.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ANNAPOLIS (Md.) Jan. 18.—Hazing of a brutal nature was revealed during the trial of Midshipman Chester A. A. Bloebaum, today, more plainly than in any of the previous proceedings. Three fourth-class men testified without the slightest resitation that they had been hazed by Bloebaum until they were utterly exhausted, one severe physical exercise after another being required of them until they lacked power to continue.

The most severe accusation was contained in the evidence of Edwin K. Caldwell of Kentucky, who said that Bloebaum had hazed and abused him because he would not make arrangements for Bloebaum to be introduced to a certain young lady of the fourth classmen's acquaintance.

Bloebaum is an appointee of Congressman Champ Clark, who said recently on the floor of the House of Representatives that he would arm a youth he sent to Annapolis with a bowie knife and hatchet. Bloebaum did not go on the stand, nor offer any witnesses in his defense.

FIELD'S CORSE IN HOME CITY.

FUNERAL AT RESIDENCE TODAY WILL BE SIMPLE.

No Building in Chicago Large Enough to Hold Half the Number of People Who Would Attend Public Services—Ten Thousand Employees to Have Memorial Meeting.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—The body of Marshall Field arrived at Chicago today in a special train over the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad. A large number of the friends of Field were in waiting. The casket was placed in the hearse and it was at once driven to the Field residence on Prairie avenue. The funeral will be held at the residence tomorrow, and will be simple in character.

So many requests for admission to the funeral were made that it was found that there would not be a building in Chicago sufficiently large to hold one-half of the people who would endeavor to attend the services, and it was at the last moment decided to abandon the idea of a public funeral because of the inability to make the necessary arrangements in so short a time for a funeral of such magnitude. The services at the house will consist of a simple musical service and a brief address by Rev. J. A. Morrison of the First Presbyterian Church. The body will be placed in the receiving vault at Graceland Cemetery until arrangements are made for final interment.

The employés of Marshall Field, numbering 16,000, will hold a memorial service tomorrow afternoon in the Auditorium. Because of the inability of the hall to accommodate all of them, it has been found necessary to restrict attendance at the meeting to the older employés of the company, and admission will be only by card.

Chicago went into mourning today. From the Board of Trade, most of the banks and practically all of the big wholesale and retail stores, flags were flown at half-mast, while the Field stores remained silent behind closed doors and drawn shades. Almost every organization devoted to the interest of the development of Chicago adopted resolutions honoring the memory of Field. The State-street merchants met and agreed to close their stores tomorrow from 12 to 1 o'clock while the funeral is in progress.

The Board of Trade, of which Field was a member, will stop trading for the day at 12:30 o'clock, and the Crerar Library, of which he was a director under the will of John Crerar, will be closed after 11 a.m. The Chicago Stock Exchange will close at 12:30 o'clock.

WOULD UNMASK TRAITORS.

Demented Woman Who Wanted to Reveal "Startling Things" to President is Arrested.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Mrs. Elizabeth M. Holmes of New York is detained at the house of detention here, having been arrested last night on a telegram signed by William M. Holmes of New York. The telegram read: "Arrest my wife; believed demented."

When Mrs. Holmes was taken into custody she stated that she had some papers for President Roosevelt and Secretary Taft that would reveal startling things to them.

"I propose to unmask at least three traitors," said Mrs. Holmes. "I represent Mrs. Elizabeth Granniss, president of the National Purity Congress and an exponent of woman's rights.

"I have a letter to the Vice-President and I am otherwise clothed with good credentials and authority. I intend seeing the President as soon as possible and will then return home. I will be accompanied by some influential persons; I do not propose to be ejected from the White House as was Mrs. Morris.

"Recently I wrote to Dr. Minor Morris and I will notify him of my presence here. He knows something about the secret of my mission. I am surprised at the telegram purporting to come from my husband and I am not ready to believe that he sent it."

Mrs. Holmes's husband has been telegraphed to.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—William W. Holmes was in communication yesterday with the United States District Attorney in Brooklyn. He said he desired to take steps for the removal of Mrs. Holmes to an asylum. Mrs. Holmes lived with her husband in Brooklyn, but had been absent from home two days. It is said she has been sending letters to President Roosevelt for several months, accusing him of being the head of a gang which she thought was persecuting her.

OBITUARY.

Dr. Swan M. Burnett.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Dr. Swan M. Burnett, a noted oculist of this city and the former husband of Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, the authoress, died suddenly today of heart disease.

NOTED CHINESE SEEING THINGS.

GOV. MICKEY OF NEBRASKA GREETS COMMISSIONERS.

From the Agricultural Station of State University They are Taken to the Penitentiary—Special Convocation of Students—West's Agricultural Marvels Delight Them.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LINCOLN (Neb.) Jan. 18.—The Imperial Chinese Commission, sent to this country for the purpose of studying educational and industrial conditions, arrived at Lincoln today, in charge of Prof. Jenks of Cornell University, the special representative of President Roosevelt, for the only stop scheduled on the journey between San Francisco and Chicago.

Chief Commissioner Tuan Fang and the forty-two others who are in the party were met at the special train by representatives of Chancellor Andrews of the University of Nebraska and Gov. Mickey. They were escorted to the agricultural station of the State University and to the State Penitentiary. Later, at the Lincoln Hotel, D. E. Thompson, recently named for ambassador to Mexico, was host at a luncheon. The only address scheduled for the luncheon was by Chancellor Andrews, although informal remarks were made by others.

This afternoon, the programme included a visit to the State University, a special convocation of the students in honor of the commissioners, and a tour of the city. The commission is especially interested in the agricultural methods followed in Nebraska, and the visit to the State farm was one of the most important features of the stay in this city.

The special train arrived about eleven hours late. Prof. Jenks said the visitors had been delighted with their journey. They had marvelled at the great agricultural possibilities of the West and the vast stretches of territory through which they passed.

EIGHTEEN MINERS KILLED.

Terrific Explosion in West Virginia Mine Causes Hills to Tremble. Blast Ignited Dust.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHARLESTON (W. Va.) Jan. 18.—Eighteen men are believed to have been killed in a terrific explosion today in one of the mines of the Detroit and Kanawha Coal Company at Detroit, on Paint Creek, this county, twenty miles from here.

The explosion occurred at 12:30 o'clock. The force of the explosion was so great that the hills trembled. Tons of wreckage and débris was hurled from the mouth of the mine, blocking the entrance and making the work of rescue difficult.

The first body reached was that of J. P. Neal, which was discovered 150 yards from the entrance. The mine superintendent says that the other men were working much farther back than Neal and he has no hope of reaching them until tomorrow morning. Even though the men survive the explosion, it is almost certain that they will fall victims to the deadly after damp.

The cause of the explosion is not yet fully determined, but it is believed that a blast ignited the dust which accumulated in the mines.

TAMMANY AND M'CLELLAN.

Conference to Settle Their Differences Will be Held Next Sunday Night.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is understood that a conference of great importance to friends of Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, is to be held in this city Sunday night, at which an effort will be made to heal the differences between Mayor McClellan and the forces in Tammany Hall allied with Murphy.

Representative W. Bourke Cockran is hastening eastward from California, to arrive in New York in time to be present at this meeting. He is coming at the request of Murphy. The Tammany leader believes that he will be able to persuade Mayor McClellan and his friends not to provoke an open break in the Democratic organization in New York county.

Murphy's friends will base their argument for a reconciliation upon the fact that the Republicans are in such a state of disorganization that the Democrats have an excellent opportunity to capture the State next fall, and that in the interest of the success of the party, it is necessary for all factions to work in harmony.

ITS FIRST ACT IS OMINOUS.

Premier National Convention Organized by a Political Party in History of Russia Opens.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 18, 7:45 p.m.—The first national convention organized by a political party in the history of Russia, that of the Constitutional Democrats, opened here today. Two hundred and fifty delegates, representing sixty provincial organizations, were present.

The first act of the delegates was significant of the trend of the convention, the temporary chairman, Prof. Karriff, calling on the assemblage to rise in memory of the victims of Red Sunday, several of whom were shot not far from the hall where the convention is being held.

Under the chairmanship of Petrunkovitch of Tver, the convention took up discussion of the first topic on the programme, the party's attitude toward the elections to the national assembly.

WILL SHOOT SOCIALISTS.

Severe Precautions Taken in German Empire to Prevent Spread of the Movement There.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERLIN, Jan. 18.—Severe precautions have been taken to prevent the spread of the Socialistic movement. At Dresden and Leipsic, all meetings have been forbidden by the police. The commanding general of the First Army Corps, it is learned, from Koenigsburg, has ordered the troops in all the garrisons of East Prussia to be ready with ammunition in case of riots.

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HE COURT SUSTAINS ACT. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—The e Court this afternoon handed decision which is of great imto San Francisco, as it means will soon be available for mpletion of the seawall. The raising the validity of the seawall Act passed by the Legin March, 1902, which authorin State Board of Harbor Comers to issue $2,000,000 in bonds ucted that the Harbor Comwith power issue bonds under from time to time until the full is on the market.

MILLIONS FOR WATER.

CITY SUPPLY FOR TACOMA. DISPATCH BY WIRE TO THE TIMES.] TACOMA, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] To secure a water supply after spending over $2,000,000 on the present water system, Tacoma will soon have to spend another two

millions in providing a gravity water supply. It will be brought from either Green or Greenwater rivers, between thirty and thirty-five miles east of Tacoma.

Thirteen years ago the city purchased the water system from Charles B. Wright of Philadelphia, who founded the city. The price was $1,750,000. The city raised $330,000 more on water-extension bonds, most of which were lost when the banks failed during the panic.

The present sources of supply comprise the springs in gulches south of the city, Clover Creek, running through farms south of the city, and the Air-lift wells, at South Tacoma. The water is of a much poorer quality than that obtained by tapping mountain streams.

As the plant purchased thirteen years ago did not cost over half the amount paid, it is considered that the city has squandered considerably over a million dollars to date.

Expert engineers have just completed reports showing it will cost nearly two millions more to bring in water by gravity from the mountains, together with laying forty-nine miles of pipe.

"INVASION" BY OREGONIANS.

TRAVELERS PROCEED FROM DEL MONTE TO PASO ROBLES.

Former Angeleno Provides Carriages at the First-Named Place for Drive Through Reserve—Dr. Harris Rejoins Party — Enthusiastic Approval of Los Angeles Programme.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PASO ROBLES, Jan. 18.—Exclusive Dispatch.] The Oregon invasion into California has proceeded as far south as Paso Robles, in the face of a driving wind and rain storm. The travelers are not weary, and do not complain of unfavorable weather. Their eyes and ears are open to the marvels of the Golden State.

The forenoon was spent at the Hotel Del Monte, where the newly-decorated dining-room was thrown open to the largest party housed since the summer season. About $50,000 has just been spent in renovating and decorating the famous hostelry. H. R. Warner, formerly of Los Angeles, acting for the hotel, provided fourteen covered carriages to take the guests over the seventeen-mile drive through the beautiful reserve.

The special train arrived at Paso Robles at supper time. The hotel and new baths, just completed at a cost of about one hundred thousand dollars, were thrown open to the Oregonians. Here the party was joined by Dr. Harris of Eugene, who was left at a San Francisco hospital supposedly with typhoid fever. He was given a vociferous reception.

At the supper table, telegrams and letters from the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce were read. General and enthusiastic approval of the programme arranged for entertainment in Los Angeles for five days, beginning Saturday at 1 p.m., was expressed.

The special train leaves here at 9 o'clock this morning to make the daylight run over the mountains and down the scenic coast to Santa Barbara, where a stop will be made at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

TRAGEDY OF THE FLOOD.

TALES OF DISASTER INCREASE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SANTA ROSA, Jan. 18.—The storm continues, and reports of damage are coming in from all directions. Three of the California Northwestern's train crews are tied up at Cloverdale tonight. The country around Pieta in all directions is reported under water, but the flood has not yet reached the town. All the northern part of Guerneville is flooded, and several outbuildings on the bank of the river washed away.

The dead bodies of two horses fully saddled and bridled, found in the river near Geyserville this morning, appear to tell the story of some tragedy of the flood.

John Muller, who was caught in the rush of the waters of Sulphur Creek above Cloverdale, when the dam went out, and was rescued with great difficulty, is reported in a serious condition tonight. Muller lost practically everything he possessed, cabin, barn, horses, wagon and all his farming implements.

NAPA RIVER FLOODS STREETS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NAPA, Jan. 18.—This evening Napa River is out of its banks and is pouring a broad and deep stream across East First street and Third avenue. The total rainfall for this season to date amounts to 13.32 inches, against 15.90 inches at a corresponding date last year.

ON SLEIGH TO OPERATION.

TUMOR CAUSES ARCTIC TRIP.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] To save her life, Mrs. George Potter was carried two hundred and fifty miles in twelve days on a Yukon sleigh to Dawson, that an operation might be performed for tumor.

Mrs. Potter is the wife of a miner operating on Duncan Creek, in the Stewart River district. She was rapidly becoming worse. No medical attention was obtainable at Duncan or within 100 miles. Potter decided to carry her to Dawson. His race for life was made doubly hard by a blizzard during most of the trip.

Mrs. Potter was wrapped in heavy clothing, robes and blankets. During part of the journey she was unconscious. All but the last fifty miles of the trip was made with a dog team. Horses were then used. Four days were lost at road houses waiting for storms to moderate.

FIRE SCATTERS STUDENTS.

DOCTOR AND WOMEN SAVED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—Fire broke out in the basement of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, on Fourteenth street, today, and within a few minutes had spread to the top floor of the building. Eight classes in medicine and dentistry, comprising 225 men and 35 women, were in session at the time on the second and third floors. Dr. H. D. Power, professor of medicine, was cut off by the flames and was rescued from an upper window. Two students, Mrs. Fritz and Miss Sweeney, were overcome by fright and were carried out of the building.

All of the valuable instruments and records were saved. The loss is covered by insurance.

TRAINING WALL CONTROVERSY.

ESPEE APPLIES FOR SPACE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—Still another application bearing on the terminal war on the other side of the bay has been sent to the War Department and forwarded by the War Department to Col. Heuer in this city for his opinion. The latest application comes from the Southern Pacific, and asks the permission of the Secretary of War to occupy the land adjoining the south training wall of the Oakland estuary with railroad tracks

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Found Dead in Road.

CHICO, Jan. 17.—George W. Hamrick, an old and well-known resident of Butte County, was found dead this morning on the mountain road near Magalia, this county. He had evidently fallen from his freight wagon.

French Canadian's Corpse.

SANTA CRUZ, Jan. 17.—The body of the man found on the bank of the San Lorenzo River near Ben Lomond, Sunday, has been partly identified as that of Baptiste Le Grande, a French Canadian woodsman.

Oil Man Leases Lands.

SANTA CRUZ, Jan. 17.—Edward Fox of San Francisco, an associate of John Martin, the gas, oil and electric magnate and Secretary of the Three Counties Oil Company, which has already leased several thousand acres of oil-bearing lands up the coast, has secured an option from the Coast Dairies and Land Company for the purchase of 6610 acres on the San Vicente and Laguna ranches, with twelve lots in the town of Davenport.

Cruelty on High Seas.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—A searching investigation is being made by United States Shipping Commissioner C. F. Bassett and Deputy Collector John T. Farley regarding the alleged brutality of officers of the whaler John and Winthrop during the recent voyage of the vessel to the waters of the North Pacific. The charges were made by Hub Dirksewager, secretary of the Board of Trade of Holland, who alleges that his son, a sailor on the vessel, was harpooned by Mate A. S. Hiller of Oakland and that the crew was starved and beaten by Hiller and Capt. Shorey.

Runaway Brought Him Death.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—Julian Thiel, a prominent rancher from Colma, died at St. Luke's Hospital, today, from injuries received in a runaway accident yesterday afternoon. He was a native of Germany, 45 years old.

Libel Against the Dirigo.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—The E. K. Wood Lumber Company, the Holmes Investment Company and fifty-six others, owners of the steamer Shasta, have filed a $10,000 libel in the United States District Court against the owners of the steamer Dirigo, which was recently towed into port in a wrecked condition by the steamer Shasta.

Brunswick Towed Into Port.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—Under half steam, the steamer Brunswick was towed into port today by the steamer Brooklyn. Capt. Elleson explained the disaster by saying that in leaving Fort Bragg, the rudder struck on a submerged rock and was broken.

Coatless Body Washed up.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 18.—An unidentified body of a coatless man was washed up yesterday afternoon on the beach south of the Alameda mole. The police believe, it is said, the man was murdered. The clothing, watch and a memorandum containing the names of three well-known physicians in San Francisco alone affording a clew to the man's identity.

RURAL ENGLAND ALSO LIBERAL.

UNIONISTS BEING BEATEN WITH USUAL ENTHUSIASM.

Glasgow Goes Strongly Against the Party of Balfour and John Morley is Returned by Good Majority. Former Cabinet Officers Fall Outside Breastworks.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 18.—Rural England is now being polled, and is returning Liberals to Parliament with the same enthusiasm as already has been displayed by the towns. Few additional returns are received, but the pollings in rural districts are not known generally until the following day, but those reported show persistent Liberal and Labor gains.

Glasgow has gone strongly Liberal, the seven contests being marked by four Liberal and one Labor gain, while the only two Unionists left in the representation are free traders. John Morley, Secretary for State for India, was returned for Montrose by a good majority.

Cambridge University returned two Unionist tariff reformers, S. H. Butcher and Mr. Rawlinson.

Lancashire appears to be going as strongly Liberal as did Manchester, the three results already received there recording two Liberal and one Labor gain.

Among those unseated in Lancashire are Lord Stanley, former Postmaster-General, by the Laborite, W. T. Wilson, with a majority of 3128 and C. A. Cripps, by H. Nuttal (Liberal and Free Trader,) with a majority of 2824.

TIDE RISING FASTER.

The Liberal tide is rising faster than ever today as the flood of returns comes in from yesterday's elections in the counties. Fourteen more Conservative seats have been captured, while the Unionists can record a factory only in one division, which is more than counterbalanced by the Labor gains in Sunderland and Warwickshire.

Well-known Unionists, like William St. John Broderick, former Secretary for India, in the Guilford division of Surrey; Henry Chaplin, former president of the Local Government Board, in the Steaford division of Lincolnshire, and A. E. Fellows, former president of the Board of Agriculture, in the Ramsey, or northern division of Huntingdonshire, having been overwhelmed by the Liberal avalanche.

Among the new members interesting to America is Dr. Stopford W. Brooke, a former Unitarian clergyman of Boston, who captured the Bow and Bromley division of the Tower Hamlets (London) in behalf of the Liberals.

SPELL UNIONIST DISASTER.

Taken altogether, the returns, though less sensational than those previously reported, are most disastrous from the Unionist standpoint. No less than six members of the Balfour ministry have been unseated. Since the elections opened the Unionists have gained only three seats, while the Ministerialists have gained 132 seats. The seats, up to the present are distributed as follows: Liberals, 202; Unionists, 87; Laborites, 35; Nationalists, 60.

The continued Liberal triumphs made the results at Birmingham yesterday seem all the more remarkable and lend color to the contention of the Liberals that they were due exclusively to the force of Mr. Chamberlain's personality and to local influences and that they had no connection whatever with the fiscal problem.

Mr. Chamberlain himself is evidently undaunted. Speaking at Smethwick, near Birmingham, tonight he asseverated that there had been a fair fight at Birmingham on the question of fiscal reform. He added that there were two remedies for the existing social problems, Socialism and tariff reform. For the moment, he said, the country preferred Socialism, but when the quack remedies of the present government had failed there would be opportunity for his hobby and "no obstruction could prevent its taking root."

BALFOUR PREDICTS WOES.

Mr. Balfour and Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman arrived on the same train at Inverness, Scotland, today, to fulfill political engagements.

Mr. Balfour, addressing a meeting on behalf of Sir Robert Finlay, the Unionist candidate for Inverness burgs, predicted for the new government a very unhappy existence of five years.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, speaking at a Liberal meeting, characterized Mr. Balfour's statement that there was some sort of compact between the Liberal government and John Redmond, the Nationalist leader, as nothing short of scandal.

Archibald Cameron Corbett (Unionist Free Trader,) has been elected for the Tradestone division of Glasgow, defeating D. M. Mason, the Liberal candidate. Mr. Corbett, it will be remembered, wrote to the Times December 30, calling the attention of Mr. Reid, the American Ambassador, and Premier Campbell-Bannerman, to the alleged unconstitutional action of his opponent, who, he charged, in addressing his constituents, announced that he had had a friendly interview with President Roosevelt at Washington, in which Mr. Roosevelt guardedly expressed his hearty sympathy with the Liberal party in Great Britain.

SOCIALISTS BUILD BARRICADE.

Protest Against Proposed Election Law Leads to Bloodshed in Streets of Hamburg.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BERLIN, Jan. 18.—The demonstrations at Hamburg yesterday against the proposed new election law assumed a more serious aspect than indicated in previous dispatches.

A barricade was erected in one of the streets leading to the fish market and the police were firmly resisted until midnight. In an attempt to disperse the rioters the latter opened fire with all kind of weapons. Twenty policemen were wounded, one of whom has since died.

The demonstrations are mainly organized by Socialists and are intended as a protest against the proposed election law, which partly disfranchises the poorer classes.

Over twenty shops were plundered. The number of rioters wounded is not known, but more than a dozen men were treated at one drug store. Some of these were seriously wounded. A policeman broke the skull of a twelve-year-old boy.

Police headquarters today ordered all drinking places in the riot district closed at 6 o'clock in the evening, the hour when the wharf and shipyard workmen return from work.

The workmen who took part in yesterday's demonstration were locked out this morning. Over 4000 lost their employment.

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WARM WORDS, ALMOST BLOWS.

Another Stormy Scene at the Statehood Hearing.

Chairman Hamilton Has Hot Tilt With Mr. Lloyd.

Murphy of Arizona Fires Off Some Pyrotechnics.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—There was another stormy meeting of the House Committee on Territories, Eddy, Chairman Hamilton and Representative Lloyd having an angry exchange of words over Mr. Hamilton's former position on Statehood. Ex-Gov. Murph, of Arizona declared it was useless to appear before the committee, as the verdict was signed and sealed against them. He denounced as false the charge of corruption made against the Arizona men who oppose joint Statehood.

N. O. Murphy

Members of the Anti-Joint Statehood League of Arizona were again before the committee, but they played a less important part in the hearing than Representative Hamilton (Rep.) of Michigan and Representative Lloyd (Dem.) of Missouri, who had a tilt which threatened to end in blows.

Mr. Hamilton was asking a question showing his leaning toward joint Statehood, when Mr. Lloyd remarked that the change in the attitude of Mr. Hamilton on Statehood was most remarkable.

EXCUSE, NOT APOLOGY.

Mr. Hamilton denied emphatically that he had changed front, and Mr. Lloyd then remarked that it was strange that the member from Michigan had not joined in a minority report against individual Statehood when the House Committee on Territories at a former session of Congress reported favorably on a measure to admit Arizona and New Mexico.

Mr. Hamilton explained that he was in Michigan attending a convention at the time the committee took action, and consequently was in no way responsible for it.

Mr. Lloyd said he would accept the apology, and the Michigan member angrily declared he made no apology and started from his chair. He suddenly regained his composure, however, and the hearing continued.

Dwight B. Heard, former Governor of Arizona, was the first speaker. He read from the report of yesterday's hearing and said the Arizona delegation felt an explanation should be made by Representative Powers as to his intimation that Arizonans were under corporation influence. Mr. Powers denied that he made any statement which could be regarded as any such intimation.

MURPHY'S HOT SHOT.

N. O. Murphy, another former Governor of Arizona, made a heated speech denouncing the reports that railroads and mining interests were using corrupt methods to defeat the Joint Statehood Bill.

"I hereby denounce as false, libelous and slanderous any charge of corruption, regardless of where it comes from," said Mr. Murphy. "I feel it is utterly futile for us to appear before the committee and discuss our views on Statehood. The verdict is signed and sealed against us. But I cannot refrain from denouncing this charge of corruption against our party. It would be just as fair to credit a report that hands are being put into the government purse to take money for buildings, to be used in passing the Joint Statehood Bill."

Other speakers from Arizona heard today in opposition to joint Statehood were Delegate Smith, B. A. Fowler, W. S. Sturges, Gen. A. J. Sampson, Rev. H. M. Shields and A. J. Chandler. The hearing of the Arizonans will be concluded tomorrow.

TUBERCULOSIS SUSPECTS.

TO BE KEPT FROM SCHOOLS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The first decisive step toward excluding victims of pulmonary tuberculosis from the public schools was taken by the Board of Education last night, when that body instructed all principals and teachers to report the names of "suspects" to Superintendent Cooley. The board called upon Superintendent Cooley to notify the parents or guardians of the children suspected, and also to direct the Child Study Department to examine each such child.

The Child Study Department in turn was ordered to report the result of the examination in each case to the Committee on School Management. It is left with the committee whether or not to exclude the pupil from the regular public school classes. A large number of the board members believe means should be provided to give victims of the disease educational opportunities equal to those enjoyed by the healthy child. As a result a recommendation calling for segregation will be made, as soon as data has been collected regarding the number afflicted.

FIELD EXERCISES FOR TROOPS.

PRACTICE MARCHES SUGGESTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—At the suggestion of Maj.-Gen. Bates, chief of staff, the President and the Secretary of War are favorably considering a plan of having as many of the troops of the army at posts in the United States as possible take practice marches and field exercises during the coming summer, with a view to giving all the officers and men practical experience in the field and developing transportation and supply resources of the army as at present organized. It is designed, if possible, to establish eight or nine camps at different points in the country easily accessible from the regular military stations and suitable for the drilling of large bodies of troops.

It is estimated that it will cost about $200,000 for the movements proposed for the coming summer, and Congress will be asked for that amount.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Pinchot Was Obdurate.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The California delegation in the House today had a conference with Forester Pinchot about the request of the Western Pacific Railroad Company to use a coal locomotive in construction work through the forest reserve at the summit of the Sierra Nevada Mountains. Representatives Needham, Knowland, Hays, Smith and others presented the case. They pointed out that the Western Pacific is borrowing engines from the Denevr and Rio Grande for construction work, and have to get a fuel supply from the East, where there is no oil. They promised that the company would use the best appliances for the consumption of coal and prevention of sparks; would patrol the reserve against fires, and when construction is completed, oil-burning engines would be substituted, as the supply of fuel could be obtained from California fields. Pinchot was obdurate, however. He would not concede the request of the delegation.

"Item" for Los Angeles.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Urgent Deficiency Bill reported today contains an item of $5000 for rent and electric lighting of buildings at Los Angeles for accommodation of the government service; also an item of $1100 for rent of quarters for shipping commissioners, San Francisco.

Loud Resigns as Delegate.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The resignation of ex-Congressman Eugene F. Loud of California as delegate to the International Postal Congress, which is to meet in Rome this spring, has been accepted, and H. M. Brooks, superintendent of Foreign Mails of the Postoffice Department, has been appointed to fill the vacancy.

Changes in Forestry Service.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John J. Libau has been appointed Assistant Forest Ranger for Santa Barbara reserve, California, at $900 per annum. Myron Pine has been promoted to the same position in San Bernardino reserve. Other changes in the forestry service are the transfer of Willard L. Sevier, San Gabriel reserve, California, to the San Francisco Mountains reserve, Arizona, and E. B. Long from the San Francisco Mountains reserve to the San Gabriel reserve.

Against Dredging Petaluma Creek.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Secretary of War today sent to Congress the unfavorable recommendations of the Engineering Review Board of Gen. Mackenzie, chief engineer, upon the project to dredge and straighten the channel of Petaluma Creek, Cal. Col. W. H. Heuer, the local engineer, reported favorably on the project, but his superiors thought the cost of dredging and cutting-out, $15,239, and the annual maintenance, $2600, relatively too high, considering the commerce to be benefited.

America Leads in Railways.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The United States leads the world both in the present mileage and the recent growth of its railways. This is shown in a report on the "Transportation routes and systems of the world," issued by the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Commerce and Labor.

Nominations and Confirmation.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate:

Solicitor for the Department of State—James B. Scott, California.

Surgeon General and Chief of Bureau of Medicine and Surgery—Medical Inspector Presley M. Rixey, U. S. N.

California Postmasters—Susan L. Drake, Colusa; Stephen D. Ballow, San Luis Obispo; George W. Holmes, Selma.

The Senate in executive session today confirmed the nomination of Elmer E. McJimsey to be consul-general at Callao, Peru.

Flashes from the Wires.

In an effort to stop the wave of crime which has become epidemic in Chicago, 500 patrolmen are to be added to the police department.

Six Jews, members of the Warsaw, Russian Poland, Anarchist Committee, who were tried by court-martial and condemned to death, were executed yesterday in the courtyard of the Warsaw citadel.

The second day of the Sacramento Baptist Convention (colored) was given over to a discussion of missionary work, home and foreign. Reports from the sub-districts showed an increase of interest in both branches.

William S. Ikard, cattleman of Henrietta, Clay county, Tex., yesterday filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy in the United States District Court. His liabilities are placed at $745,000, with all assets exempt.

A Brussels cable says Article XII of the Antwerp Fortifications Bill, the discussion of which gave rise to rumors of a ministerial crisis, was adopted Wednesday night by the Chamber of Representatives without division.

Former President Grover Cleveland left the home of Paul Morton, and is now with Dr. Joseph D. Bryant, his friend and physician in East Forty-eighth street. Dr. Bryant said last night that Cleveland was feeling well and would remain in the city for several days.

The committee in charge of the dinner which is to be given in honor of the Imperial Chinese Commissioners at the Waldorf-Astoria, February 2, announced yesterday that John W. Foster would be toastmaster, and that the speakers would be the two guests, whose remarks will be interpreted; the Chinese Ambassador, Morris K. Jessup and Rev. Dr. Arthur B. Brown.

Complaint has been made at several Chicago banks that depositors are being called by telephone and advised by persons whose identity is not known, to withdraw their deposits from the institution. The depositor is told with much evidence of concern that he had better get his money out of the particular institution in which he happens to have it lodged. Depositors in three of the richest banks in the city have been given this unsolicited advice. John J. Mitchell, president of the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank, said yesterday: "This business is to me inexplicable. There is absolutely no occasion for alarm."

CONGRESS OF MOTHERS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—At the annual meeting yesterday of the Executive Council of the National Congress of Mothers, it was decided to recommend that the next International Congress of Mothers be held in Washington. The speakers at the annual conference to be held in Los Angeles May 7-10, were also decided upon. Among them are Mrs. W. S. Hefferin of Chicago, chairman of the Educational Committee, and Judge Lindsay of the Denver Juvenile Court. It was decided also to inaugurate in February the publication of a monthly magazine devoted to the purposes of the organization.

VISITORS CROWD NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Ocean travelers who reached New York yesterday, were confronted with an unusual situation. Many of them passed the entire afternoon looking for a place to stay. Europeans who arrived for the first time were amazed to find hotel hunting a necessity. London during the coronation week was said to be by no means so crowded with visitors as New York was yesterday. Spring buyers and visitors to various exhibitions make up most of the guests.

TILLMAN RANT IS TABLED.

Tearful Resolution is Given Scant Courtesy.

Mrs. Morris's Ejectment is a Closed Incident.

House Legislates for "Lo, the Poor Indian."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—There was an echo of yesterday's stormy session in the Senate today, when Mr. Tillman presented his resolution directing a Senatorial investigation into the removal of Mrs. Minor Morris from the White House. The resolution provoked no debate and Mr. Tillman contented himself with a brief statement in which he said he would not have introduced the resolution but for the taunts of Mr. Hale. When he concluded, Mr. Daniel moved that the resolution be laid on the table, and this disposition was made of it by a vote of 54 to 8.

The remainder of the day was devoted to speeches on the Pure Food and Merchant Marine bills, Mr. McCumber advocating the former measure and Mr. Mallory opposing the shipping bill. Mr. Mallory was so frequently interrupted as to cause his speech to take on the aspect of a general debate. During the controversy Mr. Bacon suggested that American corporations like the Standard Oil Company engaged in transporting their own goods to market could take advantage of the subsidiary provisions of the bill. Mr. Gallinger admitted the force of the objection and promised that the defect would be corrected.

TILLMAN'S RESOLUTION.

Evidently in anticipation of a renewal of yesterday's scenes the galleries were crowded when the president rapped the Senate to order at noon.

Mr. Tillman was among the first of the Senators to appear. He came into the chamber holding in his hand a paper which proved to be the resolution directing an investigation into the removal of Mrs. Morris from the White House, which he had said yesterday he would present today.

As soon as the proper order of business was reached, Mr. Tillman addressed the chair and presented his resolution, which was as follows:

"Resolved, that the president of the Senate be authorized to appoint a committee of five Senators to investigate the recent unfortunate incident at the White House, resulting in the expulsion from the executive offices of Mrs. Minor Morris, and report to the Senate."

In presenting the resolution Mr. Tillman asked for immediate consideration.

COULDN'T STAND TAUNT.

"Is there objection?" asked the chair, and no one responding, Mr. Tillman was recognized to speak. He said:

"It was not my purpose yesterday to go so far as to ask an investigation, but I was taunted beyond all endurance by the Senator from Maine. He had no justification in charging me with the defamation of the Chief Executive and with speaking from personal enmity. He challenged me to action, and I have acted."

He then said the question at issue involved two vital propositions. The first related to the protection of the Presidents from dangerous characters, and the second the protection of the rights of the people. He declared that to absolutely protect the President without doubt would be to make him a prisoner. He proceeded to say that in case of the removal of the President, he could be replaced and "probably with a better man.

"But," he added, "when the liberties of the people are destroyed nothing is left but despotism. That is the whole subject," he added as he took his seat.

Mr. Daniel immediately moved to lay the resolution on the table, and Mr. Lodge demanded the ayes and noes.

Mr. Tillman first cast his vote to lay on the table under a misapprehension, and this raised laughter at his expense, in which he joined.

With the Tillman resolution disposed of, the Senate returned to the comparatively quiet consideration of routine business.

The Pure Food Bill was taken up to permit Mr. McCumber to address the Senate in support of it.

Mr. McCumber said that the principal manufacturers favor the bill, and he declared that the liquor dealers are among its most strenuous opponents.

"BEADING" NEW TO LODGE.

While Mr. McCumber was engaged in reading a circular on the manufacture of old whisky, Mr. Lodge asked what was meant by the "beading of liquor."

Mr. McCumber replied that the Senator from Massachusetts should have sufficient knowledge about champagne to understand.

Mr. Lodge declared that he was entirely in earnest.

Mr. Nelson replied that the expression had reference to the effervescent quality of liquor.

Mr. McCumber yielded the floor to Mr. Mallory, who spoke on the Merchant Marine shipping bill. Mr. Mallory expressed the opinion that the bill is the most acceptable shipping bill so far presented, but he still considers it full of defects, and on this account he could not bring himself to its support.

Mr. Gallinger gave notice that on Monday next he would ask the Senate to fix a time to vote on the shipping bill.

The Senate went into executive session at 4:43 p. m., and at 5 o'clock adjourned until Monday. The adjournment over the three days was taken in order to afford to members of the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce time to consider the Railroad Rate bill.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

LEGISLATION FOR POOR LO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—After paying a tribute to the frigate Constitution today and ordering an investigation in order to ascertain the annual amount necessary to preserve the ship, the House devoted the day until 5:45 o'clock to the perfection and passage of a bill providing for the final disposition of the affairs of the five civilized tribes in the Indian Territory. With one or two minor amendments, the bill was passed substantially as it came from the committee. The bill provides for concluding the enrollment of Indians of the tribes, and the allotment of lands to them.

During the discussion the $750,000 attorney's fee paid out of the funds of the Chickasaw Nation to Attorneys Mansfield, McMurray and Cornish, was characterized by Mr. Mann of Illinois as highway robbery.

Mr. Lacey of Iowa explained the payment of this fee, which he agreed was excessive. It was paid as a contingent fee on a contract with the attorneys to purge the allotment rolls of the tribe from fraudulent enrollments.

Mr. Littauer reported the Urgent Deficiency Bill and gave notice that he would call it up for consideration tomorrow.

Debate on a provision in the bill, authorizing the sale of 100,000 acres of Indian lands as a private game preserve consumed two hours. Much opposition to the project was developed. Mr. Mann stated it had been intimated to him that this tract was to be used as a gambling preserve instead of a game preserve. The resolution was defeated by a vote of 35 to 26. The bill was passed and the House adjourned.

CROPS UNDERESTIMATED.

KEEP COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Charles Hallam Keep, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury and chairman of the so-called Keep Committee on Department Methods, has submitted to the President the committee's report of its investigation of the methods employed by the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Agriculture on estimating crops and especially the cotton crop.

The report says that in every instance, except in the case of three cotton crops in the last six years, the Bureau of Statistics estimates have been underestimated. The underestimating has been especially great in the case of cereal crops and live stock.

The conclusion of the committee is that the methods of the Bureau of Statistics must be greatly improved or the service discontinued.

GOT COIN OF SCARED CHINESE.

BOSTON, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A clever arrest of a much-sought man was made in Chinatown today, when Patrolman Brooks captured Arthur Spencer, 40 years of age, of San José, Cal., wanted by the United States authorities for six months past on several different charges. The principal charge is that he posed as a Chinese immigration commissioner, in which guise he swindled Chinamen all over the country of about $1000, who paid him money to avoid being deported, as they supposed. He has worked his game in many large cities and has once been jailed. His latest escapade was in Brookline, where he obtained many hundred dollars. Spencer is also known as Charles Livermore and is said to be well connected.

WANT TROOPS NEAR MANILA.

MANILA, Jan. 18.—Five chambers of commerce have united in a vigorous protest to President Roosevelt against building barracks to accommodate the coming regiments of United States troops in the almost inaccessible province of Pampanga. It is stated that if the barracks are built there the expense of their construction will be doubled, and the transportation of all supplies will be dependent on the Dagupan Railroad. The chambers of commerce therefore petition the President that the troops be quartered in the outskirts of Manila, where the conditions are declared healthier and the cost of living cheaper. It is pointed out also that the presence of the troops will greatly aid the merchants of Manila.

MONUMENT TO ROBERT FULTON.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Several prominent men met yesterday to form an association to perpetuate the memory of Robert Fulton, the inventor of the steamboat. It is proposed to do this by erecting a monument to cost about $600,000, raised by popular subscription. Steps toward incorporation were taken. It is hoped that the corner-stone of the monument will be in position by 1907, the 100th anniversary of the first sail up the Hudson by Fulton. Gen. Fred D. Grant presided; the others including Robert Fulton, Samuel L. Clemens, Andrew F. Burleigh, Hugh Gordon Miller, Col. John L. Sheppard, Col. H. O. S. Heisland and Col. Albert A. Pope.

NEW EVIDENCE GIVEN CREEL.

EL PASO, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Pat Garrett has returned from the city of Chihuahua, where he conferred with Gov. Creel in regard to the release of Finstad and Coughner. He did not secure a favorable answer, but says that the Governor was impressed by the new phase of the situation presented, practically for the first time. He said Gov. Creel had never before been told of evidence which most strongly favors the two prisoners.

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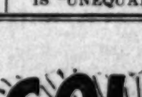

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20c Colored Swiss 10c

36-inch colored swiss; lengths up to 10 yards; colored lace stripes; suitable for sash curtains; actual values to 20c. Third floor, Bargain Friday, the yard, 10c.

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Short lengths of drapery material, consisting of art denims, Japanese crepe, cretonnes, etc., regular values in the lot up to 25c. Good, serviceable lengths. On sale Bargain Friday, third floor, the yard, 10c.

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$7.48 Tapestry Covered Couches $4.98

Couches covered with fine English tapestry and satin damask; a few slightly soiled; our regular $7.48 value. Bargain Friday, third floor, each, $4.98.

continuance tomorrow morning. Heavy rain is falling in the mountains, and a rapid rise of the rivers is predicted by the Weather Bureau.

NEAR THE STONE AGE.

Concrete Used in Los Angeles Doubled Past Year, Local Cement Manufactory Now in View.

Los Angeles has entered not exactly the Stone Age, but rather the Cement Age—to judge by the use of cement in structures erected in this city during the past twelve months. And prominent contractors declare this is but the beginning of an era in which cement is to become a powerful factor as a building material.

The great number of five-story and six-story buildings put up here recently, and for the most part constructed of reinforced concrete, has resulted in the importation of double the amount of Portland cement ever brought to Los Angeles in one former year.

The growth of this city calls for the use of cement in immense quantities in street improvement work, aside from the building propositions, and there is expected to be a vast demand for the material in the future.

This fact has been recognized by local contractors, and it is understood that several of the prominent users of this material are formulating plans for the erection of a cement manufacturing plant somewhere in this immediate vicinity.

The management of the California Portland Cement Company, whose plant is located near Colton, has changed its personnel, and it is reported that this also means great development for the Colton factory.

The new directorate will make a personal inspection of the plant tomorrow, and will decide on the details of the proposed extension. It is said the plant will be enlarged so that its capacity will be increased 1000 barrels per day, and that this change is to be made to meet the great market which is arising in Southern California.

At the present time the capacity of the plant is 10,000 barrels per month, and the pay roll amounts to $5000. The changes proposed mean the development of an important industrial concern at Colton.

Even with this change, local contractors say there will be ample room for a factory near Los Angeles, as immense quantities of cement have come from abroad. It is claimed that excellent cement rock can be found in ample quantities in the hills near this city, and this may soon be utilized by local capital to help supply the local market.

CHIAFFARELLI'S GERMAN NIGHT.

Manfredo Chiaffarelli will present an evening of German music tonight at Chutes Theater. Wagner will occupy more than half the programme. "Tannhauser" will get three selections, the march, the prelude and Wolfram's invocation, played by Giulli. Liszt's Second Rhapsody and Chiaffarelli's arrangement of the Ninth Rhapsody will both be given. DiMitri will play a new trumpet solo selected from Wagner opera, and the evening will conclude with a grand fantasie on "Die Walkure."

HOW WE DO GROW.

Added Confirmation of the City's Expansion Contained in Postoffice Money Order Report.

That unfailing criterion of progress and prosperity, the postoffice, again places on record a testimony of the city's growth in the past year. A comparison of the money-orders issued and paid during the last quarter of 1905 with those of the corresponding quarter in 1904, shows that the rate of increase keeps good pace with the other business of the office. During the quarter ending December 30, 1905, the main office handled 92,497 orders of the value of $2,063,267.74; and the stations did a business of 55,320 orders having a value of $495,791.10. The total for the quarter was thus 147,817; value $2,659,058.84. For the same period, the year before, the figures were 129,410 and $2,078,719.94. The increase is 18,407 orders and $480,338.90, which is an equivalent of 14.22 per cent.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal Telegraph Company for Ed Barnett, J. M. Hill, Mrs. Laura G. Fixen, Mrs. M. A. Cooley, Mrs. F. R. Sheridan, Miss W. H. Chesser, Kloes.

A GOOD THING.

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"I really feel that it is hardly possible to say too much in favor of Grape Nuts as a health food," whites a Chicago woman:

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No longer need you hesitate about buying property on East Fifth, Sixth and Seventh streets, between Main and Central avenue. If you are satisfied that this grand project is to be an accomplished fact within one year—if you are satisfied that Mr. Huntington will expend an equal amount on the block between Maple avenue and Los Angeles street, Sixth and Seventh streets, and within the next year—if you are satisfied a double track railroad will be built on East Seventh street, clear to Boyle Heights, during the next year—provided he is granted a fair franchise—and that this thoroughfare now is one of the most congested business streets of the city—then no one will dispute our assertion that property in that immediate neighborhood is a rattling fine prize if it can be bought at what it was held for before this important announcement was officially made on yesterday. We hold options on many pieces of property that will not expire for thirty days, which were obtained in November and December. We say, buy as quickly as possible, because you are bound to reap big profits this coming year. Property in every direction from the center of business Los Angeles will advance more or less speedily as our city grows, but the statement is certainly worthy of belief that the district above mentioned today should invite your interested attention and capital. Consider well what the finest, most elegantly appointed passenger station west of Chicago, to be used jointly by the Southern Pacific and Salt Lake Railroads, and possibly later with the Santa Fe Railroad means to this district. Remember it reaches from Fourth to Seventh streets. Remember that prices are reasonable and low at this time. Call on us for any information concerning prices you desire. It will be given cheerfully by this office.

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ATTACK WOMEN ON LIT STREET.

CHICAGO THUGS KEEP UP THEIR CRIMINAL ACTIVITY.

Police Make Attempts to Prevent Knowledge of Outrages Becoming Public and Even Deny Hearing of Cases — Screams Bring Help, Whereupon Assailants Flee.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] One woman fatally shot and two others attacked on a well-lighted boulevard in a thickly settled high class residence district was the record of Chicago today.

Florence Hunter, 26 years old, living at No. 52 Boston avenue, was attacked in her home by Leonard Ransom, a neighbor, and perhaps fatally wounded by a revolver bullet. Ransom fled and the woman was taken to the County Hospital. She has not yet been able to make any statement. Both Ransom and Miss Hunter are colored.

Mrs. Emma Day, No. 404 Park avenue, and Miss Pauline Amant, 19 years old, were attacked at Park avenue and Oakley boulevard. Mrs. Day was choked and beaten and is in a serious condition. Miss Amant escaped from her assailant, who is believed th be the same man who attacked Mrs. Day.

Circumstances attending the attacks on the two women indicate that their assailant was not acting with robbery as his motive. No record was made of the cases on the books of the police department. Attempts were made to prevent knowledge of the crimes becoming public. For a time, the police even denied hearing of the cases.

Mrs. Day was beaten and kicked. Further indignities were prevented by the arrival of several persons who had heard the woman's screams. Her assailant fled. The attack took place in the shadow of a wall of St. Patrick's Academy and convent.

The woman made a valiant defense, but was soon overpowered and fell. Her purse was flung half a dozen feet away but the man made no effort to get it. Instead, he continued striking the woman and trying to choke her. When Mrs. Day fell the man struck her head repeatedly upon the stone pavement.

The attack was within a few doors of Mrs. Day's home. Among the first to arrive was Mrs. Day's mother, who found her daughter unconscious. Internal injuries are feared.

LIGHT ON HOLLISTER MURDER.

Through the drunken boasting of a youth, today, the police secured all details of the torture to which Mrs. Franklin C. Hollister was subjected for hours by five hoodlums before she was murdered. The police are said to have the names of four of the gang, including Richard Ivens.

According to the story, substantiated in many ways, the gang decided to lure Mrs. Hollister, who was small and pretty, to a vacant house. Four lay in wait there while the fifth accosted her and told her a pitiful story of his family starving, asking her to come with him and investigate.

Mrs. Hollister was active in charity work, and immediately went with him into the house. She was seized, bound and gagged and submitted to nameless tortures for four hours. A vote was taken to determine if she should be killed, and all but Ivens decided to let her return home if she would promise not to expose them. Ivens and another were detailed to follow her and see that she went home.

Weak and dazed, she stumbled along. Ivens dismissed his companions and decided to assault her again. It was during this struggle that she was killed.

Ivens insists he was alone in the crime, but the police believe the gang was bound by oath not to involve any of the others if one should be caught in any of their crimes. It is said they had committed many similar crimes against women and girls. Ivens in his confession said he had assaulted many women, but had never found it necessary to kill one before.

One of the suspects is the son of a city official and is a paroled Reform School convict.

SOCIETY WOMAN TRIES SUICIDE.

SHE HAD BEEN HIGHLY NERVOUS

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Coroner Brewer of Brooklyn received a summons just before midnight to hasten to the home of Otto F. Bothfeld, a wealthy commission merchant living in the exclusive section of Bay Ridge, and investigate the shooting of Mrs. Bothfeld, who was dying of a bullet wound in the head.

Though the police had received no notice of the tragedy, Dr. Brewer was informed that the shooting had taken place early yesterday. A misunderstanding was responsible for the failure of the family to notify the authorities. The Coroner's presence was desired to take Mrs. Bothfeld's ante-mortem statement. A policeman was dispatched to the home of the Bothfelds and after inquiry he placed the dying woman under formal arrest on a charge of attempted suicide.

At the time of the shooting there were present in the house Bothfeld's two sons—Rudolph O. and Harry J.—a married daughter, Mrs. Arthur D. Constant, and the servants. The family, who had been alarmed for two months because of the highly nervous condition of Mrs. Bothfeld, were aroused by a pistol shot, followed by the sound of a body falling. The children hastened to the room occupied by their parents and found Bothfeld bending over the body of his wife.

Bothfeld said Mrs. Bothfeld had left the bed so carefully as not to disturb him and reached a bureau, in a drawer of which was kept a loaded pistol. Bothfeld said his wife had apparently pressed the weapon to her left temple and pulled the trigger. Coroner Brewer and the police will conduct an investigation.

Bothfeld is a commission merchant with offices at 54 Broad street, this city, and is a member of the Bridge Club of Bay Ridge. Mrs. Bothfeld is a leader in society of the district.

TWO SHOTS, TWO ARRESTS.

Watchman Fires on Seven Supposed Thieves in Railroad Yards and Gets Pair of Prisoners.

While on his rounds early yesterday morning in the Salt Lake yards, Night Watchman W. R. Murray heard approaching footsteps. He stepped behind a flat car and stooped down.

Soon he distinguished in the half-light the figures of seven men cautiously making their way out of the yards, one or two of them carrying sacks filled with articles of brass stolen from various points in the yard.

Assuring himself that the men were thieves, Murray fired at the man walking ahead of the rest and carrying a sack. The fellow, apparently "winged," let out a howl of pain, dropped the sack and ran, the others following.

Murray gave chase and fired again. Another yell. The watchman kept on and finally overtook two who were almost out of the running. He ordered them to hold up their hands. They complied, and he held the men prisoners until the arrival of an officer, who took them to the Central Police Station.

The men denied having anything to do with the theft of the brass. They were locked up on suspicion, however, pending an investigation, and an effort to capture the remaining members of the gang.

KILLS SEVEN, THEN SELF.

FAMILY ON NEW HAMPSHIRE FARM WIPED OUT.

Man Who Brooded Over Fancied Financial Wrongs in Connection With Settlement of Estate Indulges in Wholesale Extermination—New York Woman Attempts Suicide.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PEMBROKE (N. H.) Jan. 18.—The authorities today resumed the investigation of the tragedy yesterday in which eight persons were victims. Seven charred trunks were found in the débris. All were burned terribly and it was practically impossible to tell one from another.

Many persons today visited the ruins of the farmhouse at North Pembroke which had been occupied by Charles F. Ayer, his immediate family and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Isaac Lakeman. Following the murder of Mrs. Lakeman, Mrs. Ayer and the five children of the latter, the farm buildings were burned and the bodies incinerated.

Before the fire was discovered Ayer left for the residence of his sister, Mrs. George Bailey, at the town of Chichester, six miles distant, where, after being informed of the destruction of his property, he shot himself. Ayer died last night without making a statement which would assist the authorities to ascertain the exact manner in which his victims met death.

Ayer had been brooding over fancied financial wrong in connection with a settlement of the estate of his wife's father, who died three years ago.

MURDERS NEW-BORN BABE.

ENRAGED THAT IT WAS NOT BOY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FAIRMONT (W. Va.) Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mike Condas, an Italian miner of this city, is under arrest, charged with murdering his own child because it was a girl instead of a boy.

Condas had been telling his companions that a son and heir was soon expected at his home. Last Saturday when the child was born, the inhuman father, in his rage and disappointment, is alleged to have seized the little one from it's mother's arms and crushed its head between his hands. The body was then buried by Condas in a coffin which he himself made.

The mother told the neighbors of what her husband had done and the body was disinterred. The evidence against the father was so strong that he was arrested and Prosecuting Attorney Lowe is preparing a case against him.

GAS MAN ON A TEAR.

Sweet Gets Gay on Street and Bowls Over Five Pedestrians, Injuring Aged One Severely.

G. I. Sweet, an employé of the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company, ran amuck at Seventh and San Pedro streets last night, knocking down five persons and injuring Ben Everle of No. 731 East Eighth street so severely that it was necessary to send him to the Receiving Hospital for medical treatment.

Everle, who is 72 years old, is employed by the city. He was cut severely about the face and forehead. His injuries were dressed by Police Surgeon Bonynge, after which he was sent home.

The other persons who cam in contact with Sweet's right-handed blows were not severely hurt, but it was a sorry-looking aggregation of mud-spattered, lacerated pedestrians who pulled themselves together and hurried away from the scene after Sweet had concluded their cases.

Sweet was captured by five citizens before the arrival of the police, and it required the entire strength of the quintette to hold him until the patrol wagon reached the place.

When searched at the Police Station, the gas man was found to be carrying an ugly case knife, and was still in a fighting mood. Sweet is a giant, and as he went bowling along the street he suddenly became imbued with the idea of lifting the male portion of the crowd off their underpinning. Five of them went over as if they were mere paper men, and Everle was so suddenly attacked that he could not identify his assailant.

BURGLAR GOT IT.

Found in House, He Carries Off Suit of Clothes and Takes Gold from Pockets.

Mrs. W. R. Wiggins of No. 2815 Michigan avenue was awakened early yesterday morning by a burglar opening one of the doors of her room. She immediately awakened her husband, who sprang out of bed. The burglar was examining the clothes Mr. Wiggins had taken off on retiring, and instead of dropping them, he ran away, still carrying the suit.

Once on the outside he abstracted from the pockets of the suit a gold watch and a purse containing $5. He then threw the clothes away and made good his escape. Wiggins could not describe the man. Wiggins chased the burglar out, but the latter got what he was looking for.

DARLING'S SANITY.

Commission of Doctors Will Inquire Into Condition of Man Who Has Created Disturbances.

Charles Burton Darling, at one time a member of the Chicago bar, will be examined today by the lunacy commission.

A complaint was issued late yesterday afternoon, alleging his insanity, and the question is to be finally settled to the gratification of innumerable officers who have been kept busy of late placing Darling under arrest.

Darling has been confined in a cell in the City Jail for several days, and during none of this time has he uttered an intelligible statement, say the officers. His gray-haired mother, who lives at No. 3622 West Third street, is too ill to visit her son, and yesterday requested the officers to send her some information concerning his condition. Her sickness is said to have reached a critical stage since the recent incarceration of her son.

Darling has resided in Los Angeles for some little time, coming here from Chicago. He is a Mason of high standing, and on several occasions prominent members of this order furnished bail money for his release.

The man's ruling hallucination causes him to maintain that he is the owner of a lodging-house in Los Angeles, the proprietress of which he has previously threatened, and on one occasion telephoned that he intended burning down the place. Drugs, it is said, are responsible for his downfall.

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CREDIT MEN'S YEAR.

Members Hear Its Record and Choose Officers to Accompaniment of Chop Suey Banquet.

The Los Angeles Credit Men's Association held its annual meeting last night at the Shanghai Chop Suey Café. The dinner was in regular Chinese style, and not a man flinched. The menu included lung gar pok gon (pork soup with green vegetables and mushrooms;) four hoy dan (omelette with ham and herbs;) subgum chop suey (chop suey with Chinese vegetables and spices;) chu bar ap (boneless duck with ham, bamboo shoots and Chinese spices;) sen lut che gai (chicken with chesnuts and ham;) fong hon yan (chicken stuffed with edible birds' nests;) oolong (black dragon) tea with farnim (preserved guavas,) soytinko (crystal cake,) chermarbam (Chinese cookies,) and almond cake.

To the credit of the association, it proceeded to business after the dinner without delay. President Frank Simpson read an address summing up the prosperity of the year. Failures less than in 1904 by 16 per cent.; bank clearances more by 27 per cent., total trade greater by 300 millions, were some of his figures. He then went into the local conditions, which he considered peculiarly favorable. A brief review of the growth of the Credit Men's Association and its work closed the paper.

The reports of various committees covering the operations during the year followed. The Fraudulent Debtors Committee reported that although they had asked for only $5000 this year, they have now $8000 on hand, and are sure that the full sum of $20,000 will be raised in the near future.

B. H. Dennis made the report for the Credit Department Method Committee, and W. F. Bosbyshell for the Mercantile Agency Service. Both papers had to do with methods and systems used in the work of the credit men.

The Legislative Committee's chairman, J. D. Simpson, advocated the movement fostered by the national association for a uniform law of sales and warehouse receipts.

The Nominating Committee then made their report, favoring the election of the following gentlemen: President, G. Witherspoon; vice-president, H. Flatau; treasurer, J. M. Elliott; secretary, W. C. Mushet; members of the Executive Committee for the full term, Frank Simpson, W. C. Kenneday, E. J. Levy and H. C. Chase; for one year, to fill Mr. Flatau's place, S. Crandall. By unanimous vote the secretary was instructed to cast a ballot for the gentlemen named.

During the evening a photographer attempted to take a flashlight of the meeting, but he filled his lamp too full of powder, or perhaps some one slipped a stick of dynamite into the machine. When he pressed the button there was a roar and the front window by the camera departed. A good deal of broken glass ornamented the room during the remainder of the evening, but no one was hurt.

Mothers' Responsibility!

No mother or housewife with the best interests of her family at heart can exercise too much care in selecting milk for the household. Borden's Pioneer Brand Evaporated Cream is the richest in butter fats and is the recognized standard for quality. Pioneer Cream costs no more than inferior grades. It contains all the cream. —[Adv.

The King of Orators.

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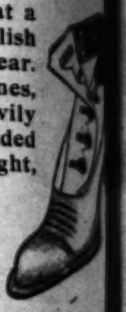

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Men's Hanan Shoes, all styles and leathers. Luddy's prices, $6 and $6.50. SALE PRICE, $4.85.

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Men's Crossett Shoes, in vici kid and Russia tan leathers. Luddy's price, $3.50. SALE PRICE, $2.85.

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Little Gents' Shoes, all styles and leathers. Luddy's prices. $1.85 and $2.00. SALE PRICES, $1.40 AND $1.75.

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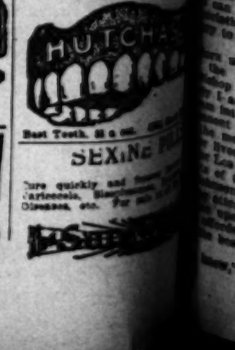

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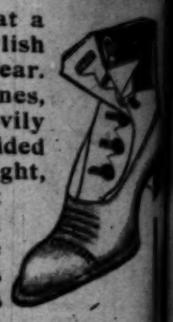

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Boys' Dress Lace Shoes, in patent leather and vici kid. Luddy's price, $3. SALE PRICE, $2.55.

Children's Shoes, lace or button, in vici kid, welt or turn soles. Luddy's price, $2. SALE PRICE, $1.55.

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Part of Plan See Way Around Difficulty.

Interest Shown in the Art Conference.

...ast quantity, was the touch-... noon meeting held at the ...terday afternoon ...t of the permanent art ...

...that brought the precious ... large numbers inter-... soul-reaching project from ... Johnson, however, ... of the speakers, found ... to the clouds that had ... he said the people ... would have so much ... to confer together, and ... to be one of the ... meeting.

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... shall be known ... Building Association. ... of this association shall ... and maintain after the ... a gallery of the fine ... public good and as an ... for the women of ...

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... under the sign, 'Gemi-... Rev. Joseph H. ... of Los Angeles, "and ... interested in many ... movement in this matter ... plan for this city, ... Metropolitan that ... have so much ... We can do lit-... Angeles than to stim-... this kind."

... spoke most delight-... to the humanis-... the great mass of ... the opportunity ... and most beautiful ...

... he continued, "that there is on original Gilbert Stuart in this town and an original Corot? I believe that we could have a collection here that would be of great value to the people in general."

Rabbi Hecht spoke feelingly of the project fostered by the women.

"Women," said he, "are the high priestesses of beauty, and they have a hard time to realize their dreams in this material age."

Dr. Jesse S. Millispaugh of the State Normal School interpreted the present project as a great educational movement and as such he gave it his most hearty interest and coöperation. That the young now growing up should not be like those who have no sense of the beautiful, starved because they cannot discern the paradise around them, for whom in vain has Raphael painted and Milton sung, Dr. Millispaugh hoped to see the realization of the temple of beauty.

Joseph Scott, a member of the executive board of the Southwest Society, declared himself to be that material individual, a lawyer, who found himself short-circuited in such an artistic atmosphere. Mr. Scott produced many laughs with his easy humor, but his main purpose was to tell the people that there is not in the code of the State of California anything to sanction the incorporation of a fine arts association with the power of handing down the property that shall come to it.

CAN OVERCOME DIFFICULTY.

This seemed most alarming on the face but it was soon explained that a special act of the Legislature could be secured to authorize such an incorporation. At present Mr. Scott said there is no general law covering it, but arrangements can be made until this special act can be passed; meanwhile he advised the women of the society to work with the legislative representatives to that end.

J. H. Braly said if the people of this city expect to build an art gallery which their Eastern friends would visit, they must have the finest and best or their friends would not go inside.

"They are too busy looking at the great pictures which the Almighty had built and painted outside, in the skies and the flowers and trees."

Hector Alliott advised the association to pattern by the Metropolitan Museum of New York—to begin in a small way but to plan the building with the ultimate view of a harmonious whole when it had expanded to great proportions. He also warned them to have plenty of room and pointed out the case of the Chicago Museum, which must move into Lake Michigan if it grows any more.

St. Louis's Wonderful Trade Expansion Illustrated in the Shoe Business.

An indication of the marvelous expansion of business in St. Louis, particularly the shoe business, is found in the record of The Brown Shoe Co., (makers White House Shoes for men and women; Buster Brown Blue Ribbon Shoes for boys and girls) just published, announcing a gain in sales of over a million dollars per year for each of the last successive three years, a record unequaled by any other shoe concern. St. Louis has, in fact, become the great central shoe market of the United States. St. Louis manufacturers are said to make more shoes than are made in any other city in the world.—[St. Louis Globe-Democrate.

St. Louis has also forged ahead to the leading boot and shoe market of the world.—[New York Sun.

The Elks in a Body.

Tonight at Robinson's Auditorium. Secure your seats early. Reserved seats only $1. Birkel's Music Store, 345 S. Spring.

Dr. Kalliwoda's Laxative La Grippe and Cold Cure.

Is the best I ever used. B. Barrett, of Johnson, Barrett Dry Goods Co., Los Angeles.

Spaghetti is Now Becoming

The food of all nations. Served in true Italian style at the Europa Cafe, Dinner 50c.

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Soothes and quickly cures ailing eyes.

UNION OIL'S ANNUAL.

Officers are Elected and Reports Submitted, Showing Big Earnings for the Year.

The annual stockholders' meeting of the Union Oil Company was held yesterday afternoon. The auditor's report for the calendar year 1905 was read and a board of directors for the coming year elected.

The report of the auditor shows that at the close of the year 1905 there were 64,477 shares of stock outstanding, valued at $6,447,700, par. The gross earnings for the year amounted to $2,624,980.70, and the total expenses were $1,623,583.59, making the net earnings $1,001,397.11, or 15 8-10 per cent on the outstanding stock. The sum of $392,556.60 was paid out in the form of dividends, leaving a surplus of $608,840.51.

The average monthly net earnings of the company for the first six months of the year amounted to $83,763.11, or 12 2-10 per cent, and for the second six months, $103,136.41, or 19 2-10 per cent. The average monthly net earnings for the entire year amounted to $83,449.76.

The report shows an increase in the sales of oil of 49 per cent over the year 1904.

The following directors were elected for the year 1906: Lyman Stewart, W. L. Stewart, J. S. Torrance, J. H. Adams, F. C. Bolt, W. R. Staats, John Baker, Jr., W. F. Botsford, Frank A. Garbutt, Edwin T. Earl and Giles Kellogg.

The Union Oil Company, through its subsidiary corporation, the Union Steamship Company, has purchased two new steam vessels, the Minnewaska and the Minnetonka, each with a carrying capacity of 7500 tons, and will place them in commission at once. One of the boats will ply between San Francisco and the Isthmus of Panama, and the other between Colon and the Atlantic seaports. The purchase of these two ships with a carrying capacity of 270,000 barrels, increases the company's fleet to nine vessels.

LONG BEACH AWAITS THEM.

Visitors from Oregon Will Receive a Hearty Welcome at Southern California's Chautauqua City.

The Long Beach Chamber of Commerce has compleetd its prepartaions for the entertainment of the visiting Oregonians. When they arrive Saturday afternoon over the Salt Lake, the members of the Long Beach chamber will be at the station as a committee of welcome. Donatelli's Band will provide music at the disembarkation.

The party will then go to the Auditorium, where Donatelli's Band will present a short programme. The courtesies of the bath-house will then be extended to the Oregonians; and the Long Beach chamber suggests that the opportunity will be excellent for the Los Angeles chamber to take its annual plunge.

Automobiles will be in waiting to show the visitors the beauties of Long Beach, after which they will return to Los Angeles for the public reception in the evening at the Chamber of Commerce rooms.

Members of the local chamber who wish to accompany the party may get free tickets by calling at the secretary's office.

Moths are His Fad.

The National Museum at Washington has received from William Schaus of Twickenham, Eng., formerly of New York, a collection of over 60,000 specimens of South and Central American moths, representing the work of over twenty years, and valued at over $100,000. Mr. Schaus is a man of wealth, who has been for years an enthusiastic collector of moths, and fifteen years ago he left New York because he could study moths better in London, through the wonderful collection in the British Museum. The museum officials in Washington say that they have come into possession of the most complete and important collection of South American moths in the world. It includes a number of moths new to science, collected in out-of-the-way localities in South America. After leaving his moths in Washington, Mr. Schaus left for the City of Mexico, whither he will start on a horseback journey and collecting tour through the Central American States, Colombia and Ecuador. He plans to be absent several years.—[Kansas City Journal.

What Do You Care? You've Got Your Health.

Great Natures Do Not Despair at Disappointment—They Look for Something Else to Do.

The broad-gauged man of today does not get blue just because things don't always come his way unless there is something the matter with him. If he "falls down" on one proposition he immediately starts to look up another. He always looks forward and keeps on hustling. A man with his health and faculties has plenty of opportunities and the man who gives up or even feels like it has either a small nature or some physical weakness.

Dyspepsia certainly puts the best of men out of condition for work of any kind. You cannot blame the dyspeptic for getting blue. The very nature of his disease is most depressing and calculated to deprive him of ambition, energy and hope. There is hope for him, however, certain and sure.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are recognized throughout the length and breadth of the land as the one cure that's safe and sure. Their unbounded popularity—resulting from the thousands and thousands of cures they have effected, prove beyond the shadow of a doubt their greatness as a cure. Wherein lies their greatness? In the very fact that they are Nature's own simple remedy. They do the exact work in exactly the same way that the digestive fluids of the stomach do, because they are composed of exactly the same elements and possess the same properties. They relieve the weak and worn out stomach of its burden of digestion and permit it without let or hindrance to rest and grow sound and well. The stomach will get well quick enough in its own natural way if it is let alone. That is what Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets do. They not only let it alone themselves but make the food taken into the stomach do the same.

You can satisfy yourself of the truth of this statement by putting the food you would eat into a glass jar with sufficient water and one of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. The process of digestion will be taken up and carried out just as the gastric juice and other digestive fluids would do it. Their action is natural and they cause no disturbance in the digestive organs. In fact you forget you have a stomach when they begin to do their work, so mild and natural is the operation. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are for sale by all druggists at 50c a box.

The Only Way DUFFY'S Is Sold

BEWARE OF FRAUDS!

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

is sold in sealed bottles only—never in bulk. A fac-simile of the genuine bottle, full size, is printed here so that you may easily recognize it. It is our own patented bottle—round, amber colored, and with the name "Duffy's Malt Whiskey Company" blown into the glass. The trade-mark—the Old Chemist's Head is on the label, and over the cork there is an engraved paper seal. Be certain this seal is not broken.

BEWARE OF BOGUS GOODS!

Unscrupulous dealers, mindful only of profit and caring nothing for the health of their customers, are offering for sale low-grade, impure whiskey, which they call Duff'y Malt Whiskey.

It is a bogus whiskey and a fraud, intended to deceive the people.

Of course, when a remedy has been before the public so long, has been prescribed and used by the best doctors and in all the prominent hospitals, and has carried the blessing of health into so many thousands of homes as DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY has, imitations are bound to arise. But they can imitate the bottle and label only—no one can imitate the contents.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

is a formula worked out fifty years ago by one of the greatest chemists the world has ever known, and while it has cured millions of people during the last half century, the secret has never been discovered.

Any firm that will sell imitation goods will sell impure drugs. The firm that is dishonest in one thing would not hesitate to be dishonest in another. Whenever you see imitation goods with the firm's name on, beware of anything and everything put up by that firm. You endanger your own life and the lives of your family and friends by dealing with them.

Noted Chicago Physician and Chemist Commends Duffy's

Dr. E. M. Eidherr, after severe and exhaustive tests of samples of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, reports it to be perfectly pure, free of coloring matter, wood spirits and fusel oil and recommends it in all cases for young and old where an effective tonic is required.

In his original report he says:

REFUSE IMITATIONS AND SUBSTITUTES

When you ask for DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY be sure you get the genuine, which is the only absolutely pure malt whiskey containing medicinal, health-giving qualities. Imitations and substitutes, far from relieving the sick, are positively harmful. Demand DUFFY'S, and be sure you get it. Be on your guard against refilled bottles.

"The samples of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey submitted to my laboratory for chemical examination were found perfectly pure and entirely free of amyl and methyl alcohols (fusel oil and wood spirits,) and also devoid of coloring matter. Comparative tests have been made with samples of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, bought from different drug stores of this city, with the same result. On basis of these examinations, I pronounce your preparation as an excellent tonic-stimulant, tissue builder and invigorator, which can be used by young and old for wasting diseases, nervous debility, loss of appetite, and, in short, in all cases where an effective tonic is required.

—DR. E. M. EIDHERR, Chicago, Ill., July 2, 1905.

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Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey promotes health and longevity. Contains no fusel oil and is the only whiskey recognized by the Government as a medicine. This is a guarantee.

The genuine is sold by all reliable druggists and grocers, or direct. $1 a bottle. Medical book free. Address Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

Classified Liners.

Times' "Liner" Advertisers—Important. Note change in rate for Sunday classified advertisements. Commencing Sunday, October 1, 1905, the rate for Sunday "Liners" was raised to 1¼ cents per word for each insertion; minimum charge, 25 cents, as at present. This slight advance is amply justified by the present Sunday circulation of The Times, which averages over 60,000 copies. (When the 1-cent-per-word rate was established in 1893, The Times Sunday circulation was only 14,000 copies.) The "Liner" rate for the daily—1 cent per word—will stand as at present.

Telephone your want advertisements. Ring up "The Times" any time of day or night, and secure prompt and careful attention. Rates one cent a word each insertion in the Daily; 1¼ cents per word in the Sunday edition; minimum charge 25c.

"Liner" (classified) advertisements for Sunday insertion received over the counter or by telephone after 11 o'clock Saturday nights will be inserted under heading "Too Late to Classify."

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occurring in telephoned advertisements.

Sunday real estate advertisements, to be classified properly, must be in The Times office before 10 o'clock Saturday nights. Rate 1¼ cents per word.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

TO MARINERS.

You will please take notice that the Sunset Wireless and Telegraph Company has installed and is maintaining between SAN PEDRO and TERMINAL ISLAND, one (1) pole carrying telephone and telegraph cable 400 feet in length, and one (1) cable 700 feet in length.

That at said points said company will maintain monuments indicating the place where said cable lies.

San Francisco, Dec. 13, 1905.

TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ADS. TO The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset PRESS ONE. Home 'PHONE 1270. Rate 1 cent per word. Sunday 1¼ cents per word. Sunday.

TWO MORE CARLOADS JUST ARRIVED containing 6 cars in all kinds of nursery stock, evergreens, palms, roses, fruit trees, from California Nursery Co., Niles, Cal. Sale yard, No. 238 S. SPRING ST. 20

CALIFORNIA STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS, cleans carpets, upholstering and repairing. 229 E. 4th. Tel. Main 715. Home 715.

FEATHER PILLOWS RENOVATED AT ACME FEATHER WORKS, 1102 E. Seventh st. Tel. Sunset Main 1166. Home 6041.

GLOVE AND UMBRELLA MAKERS. Buy here at factory prices. Big assortment. 121 W. FOURTH ST. Tel. Sunset Main 1166.

BORDERS NAME PRICE AS PAPERS. BEST paste, $1.50 gallon. WALTER, 427 S. Spring.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND. Home 26719. West 391. MRS. HEATH.

RATE FOR ADS. UNDER THIS HEADING 25c per line; minimum charge 25c.

CHURCH NOTICES—Miscellaneous.

PENIEL HALL, 227 S. MAIN; NOON prayer meeting daily; gospel meeting every evening.

SOCIETY MEETINGS—

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, 3 SHARP, PROF. Tripp lectures, 949 S. HILL, on "Hypnotism-Clairvoyance." Seats free, tests messages. 19

PERSONAL—Business.

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Tells you what you desire to know. Readings given by mail to out-of-town patrons. Sketch readings by mail, $1. Full life readings by mail, $5. Inclose stamp and give time of birth.

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PERSONAL—MRS. MASSON, THE NOTED London palmist, is at 332 S. SPRING ST. Readings are conscientious and scientific, and give the precise information desired. HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL—THIS NOTICE AND 25c SECURES you a scientific reading, head, hand; cards or psychic method; in love, marriage or business; truthful. PROF. ALBERT, suite 3, 313½ S. Spring. Satisfaction guaranteed. 19

PERSONAL — MRS. PARKER, RELIABLE palmist and life reader, business, law suits, mineral claims described, locations, love, travels, health; all affairs of life. 444 SOUTH SPRING, room 1, 25c and $1.

PERSONAL—THE TOURIST'S FRIEND. The solid comfort gas heater will keep your room warm or you can set it down or carry it in your grip. Price $1. Call and see it demonstrated. 402 W. 7TH ST. 20

PERSONAL—JOHN SLATER, MARVELOUS psychic, private readings daily 10 to 4. THE RAMONA, 218 W. Fifth. Next public meeting Sunday evening, Metropolitan Hall, 227½ South Spring. 19

PERSONAL — IF YOU ARE SUFFERING, see Mme. Mercia, the magnetic healer, treatments free; try her and be convinced. Address or call 719 CENTRAL AVE. Main 2797. 27

PERSONAL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, PALMIST, acknowledged by the best intellects as most remarkable reader of hands in this country; also casts horoscopes. 345½ S. SPRING.

PERSONAL—SIGUNA, SUCCESSFUL AND marvelous psychic reader, speaks your name, sealed questions answered. Palm reading, 25c. 326½ S. SPRING.

PERSONAL — PROF. SHELDON, PALMIST and life reader, 309½ S. BROADWAY, The Windsor. 19

WANTED—Help, Male.

WANTED — RELIABLE SOLICITOR FOR clock wagon; must understand setting up clocks. 611 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—BOY TO DRIVE PLUMBER'S wagon and be generally useful around the shop. 716 S. FIGUEROA. 19

WANTED—BOY ABOUT 16 FOR LIGHT garden work. Apply FIGUEROA NURSERY, 1206 Figueroa st.

WANTED — PROFESSIONAL SHINGLERS to shingle house at 1412 BOND ST. Adams Mfg. Co., 742 S. Main. 19

WANTED—FIRST CLASS STICKER MAN for detail work. ADAMS MFG. CO., 742 S. Main. Home Ex. 1222.

WANTED—SOLICITOR TO SELL SAFES and vaults in city. Apply to 205 N. LOS ANGELES ST., city.

WANTED—FLOOR SCRAPERS THIS MORNING at the COR. PICO AND UNION. Bring tools with you. 19

WANTED—ERRAND BOY WITH WHEEL. Smith & Lanquist, 235 Lankershim Bldg., 3d and Spring. 19

WANTED—TWO GOOD PLUMBERS. ADdress OTT HARDWARE CO, Santa Barbara, Cal. 24

WANTED—HUSKY YOUNG MAN, LIGHT country work. Apply 212 COMMERCIAL ST. 19

WANTED—BOY TO DO OFFICE WORK Saturdays only. 204 MASON OPERAHOUSE. 19

WANTED—FIRE INSURANCE SOLICITOR. EDWARD C. CRIBB, 123 S. Broadway. 20

WANTED—COOK FOR RESTAURANT. 542 E. FIFTH ST. The K. C. Restaurant. 19

WANTED—AN ASSISTANT IN THE REAL estate business at 435 W. THIRD ST. 21

WANTED—BRICKLAYER AND PLASTERer. Call early. 111½ E. SECOND ST. 20

WANTED—A BOY FOR DYE WORKS. Call at 528 W. 7TH ST. 20

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOY. ARCADE PHARMACY, 'phone 6708. 19

WANTED— Help, Male.

STEAM SHOVEL CREW.
ENGINEER, $135.
CANEMAN, $2.50 DAY.
FIREMAN, $2.75 DAY.
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Call early.
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WE HOPE OUR L. A. OFFICE WILL SURPASS THAT.
EMPLOYERS ATTENTION.
Our investigation and segregation results in the production of first class male help.
IF YOU WANT
THE BEST HELP—DO AS OTHERS DO,
SEND YOUR ORDERS TO US.
—NOTICE—
WE SPEAK SPANISH,
ITALIAN, FRENCH, GERMAN,
GREEK, HUNGARIAN, SLAVONIC.
MURRAY & READY, 127-129 S. Los Angeles st.

Baker, bread, cake, fare $3.....$12 to $16 week
Hand shirt ironer.....$15 to $18 week
Marker and distributor.....$15 week
Helper in starch-room.....$10 week

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NORTH, SOUTH, EAST, WEST.
GOLDFIELD AND TONOPAH DISTRICT.
Las Vegas, Nev., fare and fee only $3.50.
300 LABORERS SHIP TODAY.
LOOK.
4 plumbers, city jobs.
2 tailors, bushelmen pressers, $18 week.
2 job printers, press feeders, $20, $18 week.
FREE FARE, COAL MINERS.
300 coal miners, Oregon, $1 ton.
500 coal miners, New Mexico, $1 ton.
WESTERN PACIFIC R.R.
50,000 men, laborers, drillers, teamsters, etc., $60, $75, and $90 month. Special fares to all points.
GOLD MINES NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.
150 miners, different mines, $60 and found.
TO ARIZONA.
Laborers and teamsters, $60.
YOSEMITE VALLEY R.R.
5000 men, drillers, hammer men, laborers and muckers, $75 and $67.50. Fare and fee $5.00.
OREGON, WASHINGTON, IDAHO.
Special fare by train $15.75.
5000 drillers, laborers, muckers, $60 and $90.

NEAR SAN FRANCISCO.
$200 laborers, drillers, muckers, teamsters, etc., $2, $2.25 and $2.50 day. Fare and fee only $5.
LARGE MILL, WAREHOUSE AND FACTORY.
Close to San Francisco, 15 laborers—you'll suit—$60. Fare $4.60.
OCEAN SHORE R.R.
From San Francisco to Santa Cruz, 5000 laborers, drillers, teamsters, etc., $60, $70, $90 month. Fare and fee $5.
NEW R.R. CENTER OF GOLD MINES.
FREE FARE.
Jamestown into the heart of Yosemite Valley, 5000 drillers, hammermen, laborers, muckers, $60, $75 and $90 month.
MURRAY & READY, 127-129 S. Los Angeles st.
Our Mexico offices are located at 624-626 CLAY ST. 19

WANTED—
HUMMEL BROS. & CO.
EMPLOYMENT AGENTS.
A strictly first-class, reliable agency.
All kinds of help promptly furnished.
Your orders solicited.
118 and 118 East Second st.,
Between Main and Los Angeles sts.
Largest and best equipped offices on the Pacific Coast.
TELEPHONE MAIN 169.
HOME EX. 569.

Man and wife, $35-$90 etc.; teamster, haul lumber, $3 etc.; young man, grocery delivery, $8 week; married man, ranch, $30 and board; steam shovel crane man, $4 day; for dairy, $2.50 etc.; cook, boy, help gardener, $15 etc.; miners, San Bernardino county, $2, $4; meat cutter and solicitor, $15 week; 20 porters, waiters, etc., 20 ranch hands, $25, $30 etc.; milkers, $26 etc.; laborers, city and country, $2; track laborers, Las Vegas, Nev.
HOTEL DEPARTMENT.
Second cook, Arizona, $65 etc.; boarding-house cook, $50 etc.; vegetable man, $2; bus boy, hotel, $25; waiter, mine, $40 etc.; man and wife, ranch and helper, $50 etc.; laundry washer and engineer, $15; laundry foreman, Arizona, $20; marker and distributor, $15; starcher and ironer, $15; stock bunger, $15; laundry washer, hotel, $40 etc.
See our women's list for "Female Help" wanted.
HUMMEL BROS. & CO.,
118 E. Second st.
19

WANTED—
CROWLEY'S LABOR AGENCY.
Main 2078. 111½ E. Second st. Home 3222.
10 carpenters.....$4 day.....Fare free
12 men.....Pick and shovel.....$2c an hour
Dishwasher.....City.....$5 week
Plasterer.....City.....$5 day
Camp foreman.....$125 mo. and found
Craneman.....Steam shovel.....$2.50 day
20 rough carpenters.....$2.50 day
4 bridge carpenters.....$3 day
4 miners.....$2.50 day
Teamsters.....Catalina.....$52.50 month
Tonopah and Las Vegas R.R. Co.
20 men.....Track and surfacing gang
Ship.....Tonight
Tonopah and Tidewater R.R. Co.
2 men.....Spikers, etc., etc.....$2.25 day
Ship.....Today
20

WANTED—MUTUAL INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION rooms 1-3. Free employment bureau, 451½ S. Main. Phone 790.
Experienced gas engine, refrigerator and safe mechanics.
Experienced solicitor for wholesale produce company.
Experienced desk salesman, $15 to $20 week.
Steam engineer, night shift, $2.50 day.
Collector and solicitor, $60 to $80 month.
A-1 piano tuner, city, $25 week.
Chandelier and fixture man, $2.50 day.
Watch maker and jeweler, $25 week.
Young man to deliver for dry goods store, $6 week to start.
Helper in dye works, $1.50 to $2 day.
Others call and see list today. 19

WANTED—
1 fur and drapery salesman, $25.
1 young man jewelry trade, $8.
1 mfg. jewelry salesman, $20.
1 refrigerator salesman, $60.
1 gas engr. salesman, salary.
1 experienced drug sundry, $100.
Position $2, investment $250.
Position $75, investment $500.
1 safe salesman, salary.
1 traveling salesman, $100 to $200.
1 experienced produce man, salary.
Will furnish capital.
Call ROOMS 622-624 Germain Bldg., 224 South Spring st. 19

WANTED—MUTUAL INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION rooms 1-3. Free employment bureau, 451½ S. Main. Phone 790.
Experienced cloak and suit salesLady, $15 week.
Experienced stenographer, good place.
2 waitresses for first class place, $5 week.
Waitress for delicatessen store, $6 week.
Girl general housework, $25 month and board.
Experienced bindery girls, $20 to $12 week.
Others call and see list today. 19

WANTED—
HANSEN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY.
204 E. Second. Both 'Phones 263.
75 track laborers, Las Vegas, Nev., $1.75, ship tonight; teamsters and drivers, company work, $2 day; gasoline engineer, mines, $4 day; lathers; upholster, $3 day; 5 quartz miners, $4 to $5.50 day; milkers, $25 and $30 found; buggy painters, $60; porter's place, $75; camp cook, $75; second cook, $12 week; restaurant cook, $50 and room, beach; man and wife, cooks, camp, $60 and found; new orders daily. 19

WANTED—
CHARLEY NAKAMURA'S
JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
748 South Los Angeles street,
Telephones Main 1146. Home 6782.

WANTED—JAPANESE
PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
Largest and Most Popular Agency.
621 W. Sixth st. Los Angeles, Cal.
Housecleaning Department.
Window Cleaning Department.
'Phones Home 1078. Main 1714.
General labor, contractors. Every department assures responsibility. 26

WANTED—EXPERIENCED OFFICE AND mercantile assistants should leave their addresses with us for good positions. We ask no advance fee for our services. Established in 1900. Highest bank and mercantile references. Apply in person only. EDUCATIONAL EXPERT CO., 125 Byrne Bldg.

WANTED—FOR U.S. ARMY, ABLE-BODIED unmarried man, between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of the United States of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to RECRUITING OFFICER, 115½ N. Main st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—
JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
508 S. Sixth st. Main 2764. Home 5258.
COOKS, WAITERS, PORTERS,
Ranch hands, house and window cleaners.
By day, hour or contract.

WANTED—JAPANESE INDUSTRIAL ASSN. GENERAL INFORMATION BUREAU.
Contractors for Japanese laborers of all kinds; domestic help supplied.
Real Estate Translating, Interpreting.
Tel. Main 1447. Home 7322. 113 N. San Pedro st.

WANTED — ADVERTISING SOLICITORS for afternoon paper; beach town, young man who can write good copy and develop business will be paid moderate salary to start and have a chance to grow. Address with full particulars P, box 150, TIMES OFFICE. 21

WANTED—BY LARGE WHOLESALE AND retail cigar firm, a young man or woman for position of stenographer and assistant book-keeper; write, stating previous position, experience and references. Address R, box 82, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—STRONG, WILLING GIRL OF good appearance to wait on table and assist in chamberwork at small hotel at Hot Springs, resort near Newport Beach; permanent position to satisfactory party. Apply 701 C. JOHNSON BLDG.

WANTED—LADIES TO MAKE SOFA PILlow tops for wholesale house in their homes; permanent employment and good pay; unlimited instruction free. Call IDEAL ART CO., room 8, 339½ S. Hill st.

WANTED—SALESLADY, ACCUSTOMED TO handle tourist trade; with office and typewriting experience; first-class references required; state age, salary expected and line of business experienced in. Address R, box 27, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED—FRENCH GIRL AS COOK, PRIvate family; girl for office work, city, call early; waitresses, city and country; chambermaids. LASSEN'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 314½ S. Spring. 19

WANTED—GERMAN, SWEDISH OR AMERican girl for light housekeeping; wages $20 per month; waitress or chamber work; best wages; second work, $25. 206½ S. BROADWAY, room 9. 19

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED woman for lace and embroidery department; permanent position; references. Apply personally, J. B. LANE D. G. CO., 227 and 229 S. Broadway. 21

WANTED—TEACHERS TO PREPARE FOR June examination; positions plentiful after certification; class and correspondence instruction. BOYNTON NORMAL, 125 Bilicke Blk. 21

WANTED—LADY TO DO COPY WORK IN spare time; steady employment; pays $8 to $12 weekly. Call WOMAN'S NATIONAL ART EXCHANGE, 607½ S. Broadway, rooms 21-22. 20

WANTED—A YOUNG GIRL, ABOUT 15 TO 18, to assist mornings in family of 2; go home after lunch. Call 539 W. THIRD ST. Take Angel's Flight car. Colored or white.

WANTED—COOK; A GIRL THAT WILL DO other house work; family small and house new, with all conveniences. 2306 W. 24TH ST. Take West Adams car, get off Arlington.

WANTED — ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn good income corresponding for newspapers; experience unnecessary; send for particulars. PRESS SYNDICATE, Indianapolis.

WANTED—LADIES GIVEN FANCY WORK at home; good pay; materials furnished; experience unnecessary; easy, rapid, steady. M. IULIN, 1344 Market st., San Francisco.

WANTED — SALESLADY, EXPERIENCED in handling fine muslin underwear, corsets, etc., salary $4 a week to start, references required. Call at 242 E. 9TH ST. 19

WANTED — EXPERIENCED NURSE IN confinement case; must be willing to do some housework. $10 week. Don't call Sunday. 967 NEW HAMPSHIRE AVE. 19

WANTED — YOUNG LADIES FOR VAUDEville act, must be able to sing in chorus, no objection to amateur. 102 BLANCHARD BLDG., tonight, 8 o'clock.

WANTED — A GOOD GIRL FOR COOK AND general house work in private family at Monrovia; good place. 625 W. B. SCARBOROUGH, 146 S. Broadway. 19

WANTED — GOOD STRONG WOMAN FOR chamberwork; one who is willing to work; permanent position. Apply 308 WILSON BLK., First and Spring sts.

WANTED — FEW MORE LADIES TO DO copy work at home spare time; good pay; steady employment. 604 BYRNE BLDG., Third and Broadway. 19

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS WAIST AND skirt finishers; none but first-class need apply. ESTHER J. MITTS, room 533 and 534 Chamber of Commerce. 19

WANTED—A STYLISH YOUNG LADY TO act as saleslady in a first-class ladies tailoring establishment. Must have good references. 1239 W. PICO. 21

WANTED—GIRLS TO WORK AT OSTRICH feather sewing, curling and manufacturing; good sewers wanted. Apply CAWSTON OSTRICH FARM.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS HAIRDRESSER and manicurist; none other need apply. PROF. J. H. MENDELL, hair specialist, 454 S. Hill st. 24

WANTED—LADIES TO DO COPY WORK AT home, steady work and good pay. Call 811 MONA ART STUDIO, room 4, 607½ S. Broadway.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSE work in small family, wages $25. Apply 941 S. BONNIE BRAE ST. Sunset Phone West 2044. 20

WANTED—2 FIRST-CLASS WAITRESSES; must be experienced in check work. Apply at THE PORTSMOUTH CAFE, 530 S. Hill st.

WANTED—SWEDISH GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; must be good cook; wages $30. Apply at store, 668 S. BROADWAY. 22

WANTED—A THOROUGHLY COMPETENT woman for general housework in family of two; wages $25. 1102 S. ALVARADO. 19

WANTED — MIDDLE AGED LADY FOR general housework, at once. Call at 2621 LAFAYETTE PL., Boyle Heights. 19

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO TEND CHILD and go home evenings. Apply 942 S. ALVARADO. Main 6314, Home 7606. 21

WANTED—MANGLE GIRLS; MUST BE first-class and experienced. ANCHOR LAUNDRY, 719 S. Los Angeles st.

WANTED — GIRL FOR COOKING AND downstairs work, $20 per month. Call at 1250 LAKE ST. Home 7654. 19

WANTED—DISHWASHER AND KITCHEN helper; must be quick, clean and not too large. 1211 INGRAHAM. 19

WANTED — COMPETENT, EXPERIENCED nurse; references; wages $20 per month. 7 PARK AVE., Ocean Park. 19

WANTED—A YOUNG HONEST GIRL FOR cashier at night. 530 S. BROADWAY. Call between 9 and 10 a.m. 19

WANTED—A LADY OF EXPERIENCE TO clerk in bakery. Inquire BAKERY BARKING CO., 747 Central ave. 19

WANTED — GIRL OR MIDDLE-AGED WOman for general house work. Call Monday a.m. 2224 W. 20TH.

WANTED—AT ONCE, FIRST-CLASS HAIR dresser and manicurist. Apply MISS KING, 526 S. Broadway. 19

WANTED — A GOOD WOMAN TO TAKE care of small baby. Home phone 2264, HOLLYWOOD.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED MANGLE girls, LINEN LAUNDRY & SUPPLY CO., 215 Boyd st. 19

WANTED—A MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN FOR general housework. Apply 1707 ROOSEVELT AVE. 19

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, small family. Call at 2245 WEST EIGHTH ST. 19

WANTED—BRIGHT RELIABLE GIRL FOR general house work. Call 520 WHITTIER STREET. 19

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL, ABOUT 14 YEARS old, to help take care of baby. 416 W. TEMPLE ST. 19

WANTED — BRIGHT YOUNG WOMEN. Apply 627 S. HILL ST. 19

WANTED—A WAITRESS FOR EVENINGS. 620 W. NINTH. 20

WANTED—SEAMSTRESS, 713 CLANTON ST. 20

WANTED— Help, Male or Female Help. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED — MEN AND WOMEN TO LEARN barber trade in the only college in Los Angeles, that is equipped to teach the trade thoroughly; we do not hire students to come to us, but they left the Gilman College because they were taught nothing and paid us to teach them the trade; call and see them and they will substantiate this statement; beware of such places and join the right one first and not have to pay two tuitions; we employ licensed barbers for instructors; no other school in city has them; beautiful illustrated catalogue and particulars free. Call or write, MOLER SYSTEM COLLEGE, 123 E. Second st. 19

WANTED— Male or Female Help. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED — LADIES EARN FROM $10 TO $15 per week and can advance to $25 after finishing course of instruction at ROSENBLEET'S LADIES' TAILORING COLLEGE, 1400 W. 7th st. Positions secured. Tuition earned while learning. You study under personal supervision of a practical, experienced ladies' tailor and author of "Automatic Tailor-square System." Absolutely the best in America. 19

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MEN, BOYS and girls over 16 years of age to learn the printing trade in the several departments in a free technical school. The attention of parents is called to this opportunity for their children to learn a good trade and secure paying positions in a very short time. Apply or write to the EMPLOYING PRINTERS' ASSN., 261-263 Pacific Electric Bldg.

MEN AND BOYS WANTED TO EARN $5 to $8 day after completing course of practical instruction at home or in our schools. Graduates admitted to Unions; positions secured. COYNE BROS., CO., Practical Schools Plumbing and Bricklaying, New York, Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis. Free catalogue.

WANTED—LADIES WE TEACH HAIRdressing, manicuring, facial massage; moderates reasonable. Call or write, THE LOS ANGELES HAIR DRESSING COLLEGE, 236 Mercantile Place, 344 S. Spring st. 19

WANTED—AN ENERGETIC YOUNG MAN to learn mechanical dentistry. SCHIFFMAN DENTAOL CO., 107 N. Spring st.

WANTED— Situations, Male.

WANTED—PLACE IN FIRST-CLASS FAMily, who keep an automobile; would learn to run same; can milk, care for lawn, flowers, etc.; would assist with housework; by young man of good habits and gentlemanly appearance. Address F, box 148, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED — A POSITION WITH A RELIable real estate firm, where my knowledge of this particular line of business, as well as my executive ability, will be appreciated; can furnish proper references; age 21. Address F, box 149, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—INDUSTRIOUS YOUNG MAN OF 24, desires to learn the business in Los Angeles or vicinity, willing to start from the bottom; will furnish bank references as to character and ability. Address P, box 127, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED—JAPANESE BOY WANTS A position to care for an old gentleman or children, or as a waiter, $25 and up. Good English spoken, written and read. Apply to Mr. S., Care St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, 233 S. Olive st. 19

WANTED—BY MARRIED MAN, AGE 32, with some real estate experience, situation with some reliable firm any address where there is a chance to advance at fair salary or commission. Address P, box 141, TIMES OFFICE. 21

WANTED—YOUNG COLORED MAN WISHES to learn to cook; wants position as man who wishes companion; sober and honest. Tel. 2135, Main, or 1012 DENVER AVE. Jones. 19

WANTED — EXPERIENCED ENGINEER, stationary or donkey oil burner; will give $3 per cent. wages to anyone finding him steady job. Address R, box 76, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — EMPLOYMENT FOR 10 OR 15 Japanese laborers; will go anywhere; ready for work now. Call or address H. MIYAKAWA, 427 Turner, Los Angeles, Cal. 20

WANTED — POSITION IN REAL ESTATE office, by a young man, where he can learn the business, small wages to start. Address M, box 107, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED — POSITION, FIRST CLASS woodworker; all around man, is hard or soft wood finisher in city. Address P, box 122, TIMES OFFICE. 22

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WOULD LIKE TO learn to run stacker; am a good turner and handsaw man. Address W. DOMMES, 626 Fifth st., Los Angeles. 19

WANTED—TO LEARN SHOW CARD WRITing, from some one who understands the business, state prices, etc. Address P, box 154, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WITH EXPERIence wants position as cashier or clerk in restaurant or store. Address M, box 127, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED—HOUSE CLEANING DONE; OFfices and floors scrubbed and cleaned. 'Phone Main 6773, or call 471½ E. THIRD. A. Comber. 25

WANTED—POSITION BY EXPERIENCED Japanese in best hotel or restaurant for chief cook. GEORGE, 1029 S. Hill. 'Phone Main 8438.

WANTED—MARRIED MAN WANTS POSItion on small ranch as foreman or hand; wife can cook. Address R, box 34, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—SOBER YOUNG MAN WITH reference who knows city wishes position as teamster. Address R, box 68, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS PAINTER AND paper hanger will work by the day; steady position. Address MR. FRANK, 2231½ E. 4th st. 19

WANTED — JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT Bureau furnishes most ideal Japanese on short notice. Tel. Broadway 6621, 500 S. OLIVE. 24

WANTED—SITUATION AS DELIVERY MAN or clerk in grocery, by young man of 21, experienced. Address room 22, 654½ S. MAIN. 19

WANTED—POSITION BY STEADY, ALL around carriage and sign painter. Address A. W. J., 2106 N. St., South Omaha, Neb. 22

WANTED — SITUATION BY A GOOD, strong, experienced driver, city or country. Address P, box 86, TIMES OFFICE. 22

WANTED—JAPANESE COOK WANTS POsition with general work, $25 up month. Address P, box 121, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—ANY HONEST POSITION BY young man, 21 years of age, no bad habits, room 23, 654½ S. MAIN ST. 19

WANTED—YOUNG MAN 18 YEARS OF AGE desires position, country preferred. Address P, box 144, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — JAPANESE YOUNG MAN wants position as garden work. KEI, 634 E. 3rd st. Phone Main 3034. 21

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG GERman blacksmith and horseshoer. Address P, box 115, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED AN EXPERIENCED HOTEL clerk or steward wants position. Address M, box 134, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED—MAN WANTS POSITION IN PRIvate place; good reference. Address P, box 117, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—POSITION BY GOOD JAPANese cook, references. Address P, box 137, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED — WORK BY A RESPECTABLE young man. C. BUCK, 1610 W. 21st st. West 2907. 20

WANTED — BY GOOD JAPANESE SITUAtion as family cook. 7-8, R. F. D., Pico Heights. 19

WANTED—2 PAINTERS, WANT INSIDE work, $2.50. Address P, box 125, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—A POSITION AS COOK, WAGES $30 to $35. Address FRANK, 502 W. 9th st., city. 22

WANTED—A CARPENTER WANTS WORK. Call up SUNSET 'PHONE WEST 4805. 19

WANTED—CARPENTER WORK, DAY OR job. Telephone HOME 24094. 20

WANTED— Situations, Female.

WANTED — MASON'S WIDOW IN REduced circumstances wishes position as housekeeper for elderly widower, or nurse and companion for invalid; highest references. Address R, box 11, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED—TO ASSIST WITH FAMILY sewing, mending, care of children or cleaning by the hour, day or half day, charges reasonable. Phone Main 8819. MRS. BELLE. 21

WANTED—BY A REFINED, COMPETENT and reliable young lady, position as saleslady, good references. Apply at once. Address P, box 64, TIMES OFFICE. 23

WANTED — A MIDDLE-AGED GERMAN woman wishes position as cook and housework in small family; wages $25 to $30. Address R, box 72, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED — POSITION BY YOUNG LADY as operator on private exchange. 2244½ S. FLOWER ST. Home phone 6353. 4 years' experience; best of reference. 20

WANTED—SITUATION, AN EXPERIENCED lady's maid and seamstress, can cut and fit, willing to do some other work in private families. 1618 CHERRY ST. 19

WANTED— Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED—POSITION FOR MINING CAMP cook by Japanese couple, man also understands any smelting or laboratory work, good references. Address F, box 112, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—JAPANESE COUPLE WANT POsition, wife, first-class cook, man, housework or outside work. Address MURAE, 434 E. 3rd st. Phone Main 3054. 19

WANTED— Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—BOOKER T. WASHINGTON, the world's greatest negro, has written an autobiography; sells like lightning; agents make $10 daily; write for free outfit. C. L. NICHOLS & CO., Naperville, Ill. 27

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WANTED—FOUR WOMEN CANVASSERS by eastern firm to take orders in Los Angeles and vicinity, $12 week, pay every week. Address P, box 131, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED—SOLICITORS, MEN AND WOMen to handle new household invention, sells at sight, $12 weekly, guaranteed. Address P, box 144, TIMES OFFICE. 21

WANTED — AGENTS TO HANDLE THE best seller in the city, 100 per cent. profit, nothing like it, good side line call 1745 REID st. Rear. 24

WANTED— Partners.

WANTED—5 PARTIES TO PUT UP $100 each, to defray expenses of trip to Funeral Range, to locate 10 mining claims, much richer than Scotty's mine; party has been on ground and knows the gold and copper is there. Address P, box 138, TIMES OFFICE. at once. 19

WANTED—PARTNER, LADY OR GENTLEman, to act as secreary of manufacturing company; can get ¼ interest for a few hundred dollars; this puts you in on the ground floor and will make you a fortune in a few years. Address P, box 108, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—PARTNER TO TAKE HALF INterest in the most promising oil lease in this country; can get ½ or ¼ interest for a little money. Address P, box 111, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—LADY OR GENTLEMAN PARTner in established business, $100 required, earning capacity $140 a month; already invested $250; nice occupation. 419 COPP BLDG. 19

WANTED — PARTNER IN WELL-ESTABlished real estate office, only $900; good opportunity for good hustler. Address R, box 66, TIMES OFFICE. 21

WANTED — CARPENTER AS PARTNER; must be good bench hand and understand machinery; $250. Address Box 75, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena. 19

WANTED — PARTNER, REAL ESTATE, cash; $225. MERCANTILE PLACE, Eclipse Real Estate. 20

WANTED—Rooms and Board.

WANTED—BOARD AND ROOM IN JEWish family by young man, must be east of Main st. or near P.E. R.R. shops. Address P, box 164, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, SINGLE, GOOD habits and character, desires a room and board with a private family. Address P, box 134, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—BY YOUNG LADY, ROOM AND board in cultured family, Jewish preferred. Phone MAIN AND HOME 786. References. 21

WANTED—PLACE TO BOARD OR WORK IN Scotch or Irish home; no money no object. Address P, box 81, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—Rooms.

WANTED—SUNNY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping room for one lady; must have stove, not gas; rent must be reasonable. 'PHONE MAIN 8139. 19

WANTED—Houses.

WANTED—WE HAVE CUSTOMERS WAITing for good homes on high ground, between Jefferson and First st.; if you wish to sell, let us know your price; we won't plaster your house or lot with signs. THE BURCHWYNN CO., 106 S. Broadway. 21

WANTED—To Rent.

WANTED—TO RENT FOR FEBRUARY 1ST, 4 to 6-room furnished cottage or flat on high ground, Highland Park, Garvanza or Arlington Heights section preferred. Must be modern, sunny and clean. Address by letter, giving telephone number, H. C. GALLOUPE, 1006 Union Trust Building. 19

WANTED—FURNISHED FLAT; WALKING distance Brunswiger School; about $25 per month. Address P, box 139, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—TO RENT SMALL STORE IN good location; store with fixtures preferred; rent not to exceed $20 per month. WEST 1262. 19

WANTED—A FURNISHED HOUSE, 6 OR more rooms, location must be good. Address P, box 135, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—TO RENT AT ONCE, ABOUT 5-room furnished cottage, $25 to $30. Address R, box 79, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—Work by the Day.

WANTED—FAMILY WASHING TO TAKE home, 50c dozen; shirt waists included. 'PHONE SOUTH 2785. 22

WANTED—Situations, Female.

WANTED—EDUCATED WOMAN, EXPERIenced in cooking and housework, wishes work in small family; no washing. 1337 TOBERMAN, West 2259. 21

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER OR PRIVATE secret

WANTED—
To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, FROM THE OWNERS OF ACREAGE IN OR AROUND LOS ANGELES, LOWEST CASH PRICE. ADDRESS BOX 20, CITY.

YOU HAVE LAND, ABILITY AND MONEY; WE HAVE MONEY AND NO LAND; YOU SUBDIVIDE AND SELL YOUR ACREAGE. WE BUY SO SHOULD WE. AND SUPPOSE YOU CALL AT OUR OFFICE AND TALK IT OVER. W. M. GARLAND & CO., 224 HUNTINGTON BLDG.

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FOR SALE — NEARLY NEW, MODERN 6-room, story-and-half house; polished floors, brick mantel; owner going east this spring; will sell cheap; lot 40x125, block from Pico st. See OWNER, 1235 Berendo st.

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FOR SALE—$75 CASH, BALANCE $25 PER month; eight-room, two-story, furnished house, 5 bedrooms, 2 toilets, bath, combination fixtures; lot 50x150; deal direct with owner. Address 235 W. 39TH. 21

FOR SALE—IT MUST GO; IT SHALL GO; 6-room, strictly modern, corner, choice neighborhood; reasonable offer taken it; and easy terms; investigate this. OWNER, 127 Trust Bldg. Phone 2790. 19

FOR SALE—$1450 WILL SECURE A $2000 cottage, completely furnished, including piano; also stock of 100 thoroughbred chickens, balance $15 monthly including interest. Phone owner, EAST 1388. 13

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FOR SALE — SPECIAL BARGAIN, NEW cottage, 4 flats, 1564 Winfield corner Union, $4500, terms, $500 cash, $25 month; income $42 month. OWNER, 1561 Winfield. Phone 23719. 20

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL HOME IN THE Lone Star Tract, near Pico street; 5-room, lot 50x150. See us about it. Sole agents, BLAKE REALTY CO., 117 South Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—ONLY $3500 FOR NICE 7-ROOM home on Albany st.; first floor in Flemish oak; second floor natural; everything modern. See BURCK-GWYNN CO., 106 S. Broadway. 20

FOR SALE — GREAT BARGAIN, NEW 5-room modern cottage, corner; lot 36x150, only $1300, terms like paying rent. ECLIPSE REAL ESTATE CO., 223 Mercantile Place. 20

FOR SALE—I HAVE 8 ROOM MODERN Westlake house, new, 10's on Orange st., near Union, I want to sell right away, $700, worth $1000 more. MR. RYON, Main 2129. 19

FOR SALE—VERMONT AVE. SNAP. $2000. Modern, 4 room cottage, worth $2400. Terms $700 cash. See COLE & CO., Washington and Vermont ave.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE; 10-ROOM MODern home, Westlake Park; 6-room modern home, Pico Heights; also fine property in other sections. VENTER & CO., 510 Fay Bldg. 21

FOR SALE — NEW, MODERN 5-STORY, 7-room house, with 60-foot front lot; you should look this up if you are looking for a bargain. OWNER at 1137 W. 47th st. Phone West 532. 19

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FOR SALE—TEMPLE STREET PROPERTY, $2350, a good cottage, and business house, full lot, good location for home and business. JAMES THOMPSON, 239 W. First. 19

FOR SALE—5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, Pico Heights, east front, high ground, lot 40x135; will sell at a bargain if sold soon. Owner, G. G. FORCE, Gardena. 19

FOR SALE—BARGAIN FOR HOME OR INvestment, large comfortable house, 2521 Portland st., 15 rooms, lot 70x130. P. G. HUBERT, Owner, 2144 Hobart Boulevard. 20

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FOR SALE—REMARKABLE BARGAIN, $2600 for 6 room cottage and two fine 50 foot lots, $500 cash, $25 month. COLE & CO., Washington and Vermont ave. 20

FOR SALE—EXTRA FINE 6-ROOM NEW bungalow, 1153 East 35th st., $2900, $600 cash, $25 per month, interest included. TRAVIS, owner, Phone West 2943. 21

FOR SALE—$2500; 2 5-ROOM HOUSES, 2515-2515 Normandie ave. Come out and look them now; they will suit you. Owner at houses. Or TEL. WEST 3373. 20

FOR SALE—$2000, WALKING DISTANCE on Court Circle, 4 rooms, good lot, very cheap; must be taken quick. JAMES THOMPSON, 239 W. First. 19

FOR SALE—$1500. New 4-room cottage on 50th near South Park, very large lot, 50x165, half cash. T. L. KERR, 200 Frost. 19

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FOR SALE—COME IN AND LET US SELL you a lot in the best buy in city; Huntington Park Extension.
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FOR SALE—$600, 1-4 CASH FOR 50-FOOT lot in Wiesendanger's Prospect Park tract, Hollywood; cement curbs, cement walks; oiled streets; you will double your money. Take Hollywood car to office, corner VERMONT AND PROSPECT, one-quarter cash, 5c fare.

FOR SALE— WESTMORELAND. THREE FINE LOTS IN THIS SWELL SECTION AT $450 EACH.
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FOR SALE — YOU WILL DOUBLE YOUR money if you buy a $300 lot in Wiesendanger's Prospect Park tract; walks and curbs; streets oiled; a beauty spot for a home. Take Hollywood car to office, corner VERMONT AND PROSPECT; 5c fare.

FOR SALE—$50 DOWN, HIGH, LEVEL LOTS, ON Wellington Heights; streets and sidewalks made; plenty fine water; can deliver for $475 per lot; easy terms; this is $25 less than the cheapest price per line building to tract. PLAISTRIDGE, 109 Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—THE FINEST TRACT IN HOLlywood is Wiesendanger's Prospect Park tract; above frost and fog; ideal for homes; $300 for 50-foot lot; streets improved. Take Hollywood car to office, corner VERMONT AND PROSPECT; 5c fare.

FOR SALE—20 ACRES, ¼ MILE FROM city limits, $175 per acre, rich subdivision, near car line, being built by it, terms, here is something that is something; be quick. NATIONAL REALTP & TRUST CO., 129 S. Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—SNAP IN LOTS, I HAVE 15 for $117 each, on Figueroa st., south of city; also large corner in Brooklyn Heights, fine water value; also on West First, right close in, 40x140 for $5000. See PLAISTRIDGE, 109 Broadway. 19

FOR SALE—SPLENDID LOT, 40x145, ON 42D st., near Figueroa; a snap at $700; $200 cash, balance monthly payments of $10. Surrounding lots held for $900 to $200 higher. See H. COLLINS, Drapery Dept., Coulter Dry Goods Company. 20

FOR SALE—TEN ACRES NEAR WESTERN ave. car, right in the swim; we can prove to you that this is the best buy in this, the best district in the city. LYNN & LEWIS, 218 Mercantile Place. Main 6892. Home 2032. 20

FOR SALE— 50-FT. LOTS, $250. On Lewis and 50th sts., close to Figueroa st., exceedingly good values; adjoining lots are $350. See J. FRANK WARE, 4901 Moneta ave.

FOR SALE—TWO CHOICE LOTS ON EAST 4th st., Boyle Heights, one a corner, 50x 125 ft., will sell the price over $700 and $750 for a few days, only; easy terms. THE BURCK-GWYNN CO., 106 Broadway. 21

FOR SALE— HARVARD BOULEVARD. $1700—Close to Washington, 50x117; this is a beautiful lot and $200 under the market. JOHN O. LOWE, 310 Bradbury Bldg. 19

FOR SALE—AN IDEAL PLACE FOR A home; above frost and fog; build your house in Wiesendanger's Prospect Park tract. Take Hollywood car to office, corner VERMONT AND PROSPECT BLVD; 5c fare.

FOR SALE—$700 — $750 — $750. 40x135 on Figueroa st. for $700. "Nuf Ced."
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FOR SALE — NO BETTER INVESTMENT than a lot in Wiesendanger's Prospect Park tract; your money will double. Take Hollywood car to office, corner VERMONT AND PROSPECT BLVD; 5c fare.

FOR SALE—VACANT LOT ON EAST FIRST st., 50x125, worth $1500, price $1750, a snap; vacant lot, 50x150, Chestnut ave., Long Beach; car to Long Beach at a bargain. E. M. PENTZ, 139 S. Breed st. Home 41072. 19

FOR SALE — CITY LOTS; ONE OR MORE good building lots 1 block from car line; price $150; ⅓ cash and ¼ in six or 9 months; no interest and no agents. Address OWNER, R. box 46, Times Office. 21

FOR SALE—3 FINE EAST FRONT LOTS AT Boyle Heights, size 50x127 each; street work all in, price $800 a lot, terms if desired. F. A. HUTCHINSON, owner, 217 S. Broadway. Room 207. 20

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, 19 ACRES INSIDE city; well located; subdivided in 46 lots; high ground; commanding view; close to three car lines. Call at my office, A. E. DAVIS, 410 Pay Bldg. 20

FOR SALE — A LOT UNDER THE WALNUT trees, just south of Vernon near Figueroa; price $750, 1-3 cash; lots all around selling for $900 to $950. YOUNG & ADAMS, owners, 227 S. Hill st. 19

FOR SALE—$2000; 50-FOOT LOT, TEMPLE, close to my office. $4500—Corner 150x150. RIGBY, 1052 Temple, see me for Temple st. property. 19

FOR SALE—BELOW MARKET PRICE; On 24th between Cimarron and Normono; fine neighborhood established. PHONE HOME 1151. C. C. PATTERSON, Owner. 20

FOR SALE—$1400; SNAP; $NAP; LOT ON S. Union ave., size 50x150; don't fail to see us about this, if you want a bargain. OSCAR B. SMITH, 213 O. T. Johnson Bldg. 19

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL LEVEL LOT, 101x 164, to alley, on 2 car lines, southwest; this is a bargain. R. S. MARSHEL, 204 Grant Bldg. Phone Main 1736. 20

FOR SALE—FINE CORNER; 150x150; WITHin walking distance of business center. Price for this week $8000. Phone Home 1151. C. C. PATTERSON, Owner. 20

FOR SALE—$4000, WORTH $5000; 3 FINE lots on S. Figueroa, corner W. 47th, non-resident; wants cash quick. Inquire 1200 E. 12TH. South 2260. 20

FOR SALE—WILL SACRIFICE MY FIVE acres on Moneta ave., east front, close to car; need money. Address OWNER, N, box 99, Times office.

FOR SALE—FOR PROSPECT PARK LOTS take Hollywood car to Wiesendanger's office, corner VERMONT AND PROSPECT AVE.; 5c fare.

FOR SALE — LOT 50x120, ROOSEVELT AVE. East front; swell location; high ground, $1250. This week only. Address R, box 82, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—TWO LOTS ON WESTERN ave. in C. V. Hall tract, a bargain at $1000. Owner, 2133 HOBART BLVD, West 2224. 19

FOR SALE—$25 EACH, 4 LOTS, 50x150, JUST off E. First st. $60 down, $10 per month. W. A. JOHNSON & CO., 103 S. Broadway. 2

FOR SALE—LOTS IN EDENDALE, $125, $25 down, $10 month. EDWARD WARREN, Edendale. Phone Main 9094. 20

FOR SALE — A BARGAIN; LOT 40x142, ON Olive st., close in; price $1500. OWNER, 1 Phone West 3064.

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GET IN AT FIRST PRICE.

OUR E. JEFFERSON TRACT.
THE BIGGEST AND BEST CLOSE-IN SUBDIVISION ON THE LONG BEACH LINE; REACHED BY E. NINTH STREET (SLAUSON JUNCTION) CARS ON MAIN STREET IN TEN MINUTES; YOU ARE ON THE TRACT AT E. 30TH ST. BE SURE AND GET OFF THERE AT OUR BRANCH OFFICE.
MR. FRANK ROCKWELL TRACT AGENT, IS ON THE GROUND EVERY DAY AND WILL BE PLEASED TO SHOW YOU THE PROPERTY. SEE IT AT ONCE.
TRACT REACHES FROM 30TH ST. TO VERNON AVE. (40TH ST.) FINE SOIL AND VIEW AND VERY HEALTHY LOCALITY.
LOTS GOING FAST.
EVERY ONE PLEASED.
FINE MOUNTAIN VIEW.
RICH SOIL.
HEALTHFUL LOCALITY.
CLOSE TO CENTER OF CITY.
ANY WIDTH YOU WANT.

GOOD BIG LOTS.

STREET WORK DONE AND PAID FOR.
LAST TRACT LEFT CLOSE IN ON EAST TERMS. GET IN OUT ONCE.
WILL BUILD 1-ROOM BUNGALOW ON REAR OF A FEW OF THE CHOICEST AND BIGGEST LOTS FOR $800; $20 CASH, AND $10 A MONTH; MAKE A START THAT WAY.
ALSO NEW MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGE ON BIG LOT AT $1600; HALF CASH, BALANCE EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS, ONLY ONE AT THIS PRICE.
GO DOWN NOW.
TEL. MAIN AND HOME 1273.
SEE GUS B. HILL.
SALES MANAGER OF TRACT.
WITH STRONG & DICKINSON.

NOTE CHANGE OF ADDRESS TO OUR FINE NEW OFFICE AT N.W. CORNER 3D AND BROADWAY, GROUND FLOOR.

FOR SALE—

FREE
FREE
EXCURSIONS
FREE
FREE
Every day—At all times.
At all times—Every day.
TO
GRIDER AND HAMILTON'S TRACTS.

A wide variety in location and selection, and each and every one a profit-maker.

HIGHLAND PARK.

Choice lots in a splendid scenic location, grand view of mountains, beautiful homes and fine surroundings. Five cent car fare, transfers. Modern street work. Lots from $650 to $850, easy terms.

HOLLYWOOD TRACT.

The fastest selling tract on the market; don't delay seeing it. Location one of the most select in select Hollywood, the most charming suburb of Los Angeles. Modern improvements, fifty foot lots, building restrictions; lots from $500 to $1000; easy terms.

VERNONDALE.

In the great manufacturing district of the southeast, where values are rising every day. Easily first among the good, big things in this rapidly growing section. Values will double within a year. First-class street work and other modern improvements. Lots from $450 up; satisfactory terms. Office on the tract.

Whether for homes or for profitable investment, do not fail to see these tracts.

Investigate for yourself. It won't cost you a cent. Call at our office for free tickets.

Office open every day including Sunday.

GRIDER & HAMILTON, 325 West Second st.

FOR SALE—

BIG LOTS.
BIG TREES.
BIG BARGAINS.

Walnut Lawn is the newest and latest suburban tract and all concede it the very best. It is situated on the choice lots on the Long Beach line, at Florence avenue. The finest class of improvements. Cement curbs, cement walks, 5 feet of parking in front. The finest walnut trees in Southern California. Every lot has water piped. There are thousands of lots, but no other lots like these. Opening day soon, but reservations may be made now. A $2000 residence building. Others ready to start. Buy before prices advance. Free trips for all. Tickets at this office.

LOTS ONLY $450—EASY TERMS.

W. P. WHITSETT, OWNER, 405 Severance Bldg., cor. Sixth and Main. Diagonally opposite Huntington Bldg. 19

FOR SALE— VACANT RESIDENCE LOTS. 3RD AVE.—250 FEET NORTH OF ADAMS ST. A DESIRABLE EAST FRONT LOT WITH 2 FOOT TERRACE. IMPROVEMENTS IN, COMMANDS FINE VIEW. LOCATED NEAR MR. WALKER'S FINE RESIDENCE. PRICE $2000 IF TAKEN WITHIN ONE WEEK.

THE BRIGGS CO., 224 S. BROADWAY.

25TH ST., NEAR HERMOSA ST., IN KINNEY HEIGHTS, ON THE HIGH GROUND, 50 FT. LOT SURROUNDED BY FINE RESIDENCES. CLOSE TO CAR LINE; HAS FRUIT TREES IN REAR OF YARD. ONLY LOT LEFT IN THIS BLOCK FOR $1000.

THE BRIGGS CO., 224 S. BROADWAY.

FOR SALE—
IN THE FASHIONABLE FIGUEROA DISTRICT.
A VERY FINE BUILDING LOT JUST OFF OF FIGUEROA ST. FOR $800. WILL MAKE REASONABLE TERMS. THE BUYER OF THIS NOT ONLY SECURES A NICE PLACE FOR A HOME, BUT A GOOD SAFE MONEY-MAKING INVESTMENT AT THE SAME TIME. ALL STREET IMPROVEMENTS IN AND PAID FOR.
EMIL FIRTH (OWNER.)
HOME 8105. MAIN 2543.
411-417 LAUGHLIN BLDG.
215 S. BROADWAY.
"You're Safe at Firth's."

FOR SALE—LEMONWOOD.
A beautiful lemon grove subdivision, located on the corner of Melrose ave. and Western ave., in the rapidly developing district between Hollywood and Wilshire Blvd. The new Western ave. car line passes the property; large level lots on improved streets with cement walks and curbs. A choice residence property with reasonable building restrictions. Lots at proportionately less than adjoining acreage. Buy now, prices $500; terms $50 cash; $10 monthly, 6 per cent. interest net. To see the tract, take Colegrove car to Western ave. Branch office on the corner; open every day. CHAS. S. MANN, 225 W. Fourth st. Phone Home 6171, Main 6462.

FOR SALE—
$750
A NICE LOT.
ON 47TH ST.; MODERN IMPROVEMENTS, CEMENT CURBS AND WALKS. ONE OF THE BEST BUYS IN CITY FOR EITHER HOME OR INVESTMENT. MONETA AVE. CAR LINE. THIS LOT WILL DOUBLE IN VALUE IN A SHORT TIME. PRICE $750; CAN MAKE TERMS.
EMIL FIRTH (OWNER.)
HOME 8105. MAIN 2543.
411-417 LAUGHLIN BLDG.
215 S. BROADWAY.
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FOR SALE—
BUDLONG AVE. CORNER.
$2000—50x165.
A VERY CHOICE LOT ON BUDLONG AVE. SUITABLE AT ONCE FOR BUILDING PURPOSES. STREET IMPROVEMENTS MADE. CEMENT WALKS. WATER PIPED. ONE BLOCK FROM 2 CAR LINES. WILL SELL FOR $1600, AND MAKE REASONABLE TERMS.
EMIL FIRTH, (OWNER)
HOME 8105. MAIN 2543.
411-417 LAUGHLIN BLDG.
215 S. BROADWAY.
"YOU'RE SAFE AT FIRTH'S." 20

FOR SALE—
THREE MONEY MAKERS.
50x125—24th near Western, $850.
50x125—25th near Hoover, $900.
50x125—22nd near Congress, $1250.
TERMS.
C. H. HUFF & CO., 401 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 19

Home 4947.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
FORTUNES IN LOS ANGELES REALTY, ESPECIALLY
FULMER TRACT.

FULMER TRACT.

SEVENTH STREET—HOOVER AND WILSHIRE BOULEVARD.
ONLY NEW BLOCKS WESTLAKE PARK.
IDEAL LOCATION.
THREE LINES STREET CARS; CURBED AND SIDEWALKED.
STREETS ALL GRADED.
GAS AND ELECTRIC LIGHT AND WATER.
LARGE LOTS AT
MUCH LOWER PRICES THAN YOU WILL HAVE TO PAY FURTHER OUT.
BUILDING RESTRICTIONS.
HIGH GRADE RESIDENCES SURROUNDING; EASY TERMS.
SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS TO BUILDERS.
WRIGHT & CALLENDER, EXCLUSIVE AGENTS, 319-323 S. HILL ST.
WRIGHT & CALLENDER BLDG.

FOR SALE—
WALTON VILLA—
On the Long Beach electric line.
WALTON VILLA—
Has good schools, churches, stores and banks.
WALTON VILLA—
Has free water piped on every lot.
WALTON VILLA—
Has cement sidewalks and graded streets.
WALTON VILLA—
Has large lots, ¼ acre each.
WALTON VILLA—
Has good soil for flowers, vegetables and berries.
WALTON VILLA—
Has 17-minute car service from Sixth and Main st. and 15-minute from Long Beach and San Pedro.
WALTON VILLA—
Has an agent on the tract.
Come to the office and get tickets FREE and see this beautiful property before buying elsewhere. Price $300 and $400. Easy payments.
We will sell you a lot and build you a cottage on monthly payments.
COLONIAL MORTGAGE & TRUST CO., 519 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—

We can offer you in 15 acres near Western and Fourth, one of the best bargains that can be found in California right now. Some one will buy it this week for
$1700 PER ACRE.
$300 or more per acre under the present market price.
This ground lays well, handy to two lines of street cars, close in, and we can arrange satisfactory terms.

If you want something good, in a fine locality, let us show you this bargain.
See MR. MILLS.
WRIGHT & CALLENDER, 319-323 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—
Just a few left
of those
fine, large lots in the
FLORENCE VILLA TRACT.
Cement walks.
Water piped to all lots.
Splendid car service.
Near church and school.
Lots 50x200 ft. and 50x130 ft., $250 and up.
MRS. GUSTAV S. SMITH, Sole Agent, 219 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Main 2713.

FOR SALE—WE SELL THE HILLS.
SPECIAL BARGAINS.
10 foot lot in Lakeside tract near Alvarado st., for $475. $265 cash, balance $10 monthly at 6 per cent. lot lies high, convenient to a car line and closer to the Courthouse than Westlake Park.
East front lot on Alvarado st., in Alvarado Park tract, for $500 cash.
2 splendid east front lots, 50x134 each, in Washington Heights tract, close to Sunset Blvd., for $650 each.
Fine corner, 100x132, south and east front in Alvarado Park tract, near Glendale car line, for $1100. For the best bargains in choice close in property. Call up the RANNELLS LAND CO., Phones Home 7791, Sunset Main 2284, or take Hollywood or Colegrove cars to branch office, corner Sunset Blvd. and Alvarado st.

FOR SALE—
RESIDENCE LOT ON VERMONT AVE.
40x125
40x125
$2500
$2500
RETAINING WALL NEWLY BUILT. ADJOINING PROPERTY SELLING AT $3000 A LOT.
I KNOW THIS TO BE AN EXCEPTIONAL BARGAIN.
THOMAS S. WADSWORTH, SOLE AGENT.
'PHONE 932. 329-329 DOUGLAS BLDG. 21

FOR SALE—
$600—ONE ACRE—$600.
DON'T BUT A LOT WHEN THE SMALL AMOUNT OF $600 WILL SECURE YOU AN ACRE. I HAVE A SPLENDID ACRE PIECE IN THE SOUTHWEST OF PART CAR LINE WITH GRADED AND OILED STREETS AND WATER PIPED IN 4-INCH MAINS WHICH I WILL SELL FOR $600 AND MAKE TERMS SO ANY AMBITIOUS MAN CAN HANDLE IT. A GOOD INVESTMENT FOR ANYONE.
EMIL FIRTH (OWNER.)
HOME 8105. MAIN 2543.
411-417 LAUGHLIN BLDG.
215 S. BROADWAY.
"You're Safe at Firth's."

FOR SALE—
THE FINEST RESIDENCE LOT IN THE SOUTHWEST.
$4000
$4250
IN THE BEAUTIFUL WESTMORELAND TRACT, ON HOOVER ST., ADJOINING FINE RESIDENCES.
40x135
40x135
THOMAS S. WADSWORTH, SOLE AGENT.
'PHONE 932. 329-329 DOUGLAS BLDG. 21

FOR SALE—$625.
LARGE LEVEL LOT, 83½x188 TO 12-FT. ALLEY, EAST FRONT ON VERMONT AVE., IN GROWING SOUTHWEST. HIGHLY IMPROVED WITH 5-FT. CEMENT WALK, CURB, BEAUTIFUL SHADE AND BEARING FRUIT TREES; TERMS IF DESIRED.
HUGHES & PECKHAM, 1206-6-7 UNION TRUST BLDG., COR. SPRING AND 4TH STS. HOME 5573. MAIN 2221. 19

FOR SALE— $1250
SNAP.
A 80 foot east front lot between 16th and Washington sts., on the high ground, east of Arlington st., absolutely the biggest snap on the market. It's the first of its kind we've had in months. See us today. JOHN T. GRIFFITH CO., 214 Wilcox Bldg. 19

FOR SALE— $125.
98x174 FEET ON COMPTON AVE., ONE BLOCK FROM LONG BEACH ELECTRIC LINE. STREET IMPROVEMENTS COMPLETED AND PAID FOR. $25 CASH AND $10 A MONTH.
HOME 8105. EMIL FIRTH, MAIN 2543.
411-417 LAUGHLIN BLDG.
215 S. BROADWAY.
"You're Safe at Firth's."

FOR SALE—$6000; LARGE LEVEL LOT 100x 185 TO AN ALLEY; ON TWO ELECTRIC LINES IN THE GROWING SOUTHWEST. CLOSE TO FIGUEROA. IMPROVED WITH 4-FOOT CEMENT WALK, CEMENT CURBS, ORNAMENTAL AND SHADE TREES. BEAUTIFUL VIEW. TERMS IF DESIRED.
HUGHES & PECKHAM, 1206-6-7 UNION TRUST BLDG. COR SPRING AND 4TH STS. HOME 5573. MAIN 2221. 19

FOR SALE—
$4500—Hermosa and Berkeley Square, large corner.
$1250—Pico Heights, near Ninth, very sightly.
$600—Hollywood bargain. $100 cash, balance $10 per month.
$1600—Pine lot, near South Park, good value; these are all bargains.
J. J. PHELPS CO., 324 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Home 6844. 19

FOR SALE—AT GREAT SACRIFICE, OWner, wanting to return East.
TWENTY ACRES.
Ready for subdivision.
Nearest, cheapest level tract on market. $300 per acre less than adjoining lands. 528 feet west Vermont ave., fronting on Melrose, act quickly.
F. A. HUTCHINSON, J. H. ARNOLD, 217 S. Broadway, Room 207.

FOR SALE—LOOK THIS UP AT ONCE AS the owner is compelled to return to Washington and must sacrifice, his 2 lots, 40x114 each. The lots are in a fine location, 8 lots cost him $2250. Owner paid part down and is unable to make future payments and will sell them at your own price, and make terms to suit. Call us up at once. KOSTER & EMBODY, 809 Bryson Bldg., corner Second and Spring sts. Main 8799. Home 9837. 19

FOR SALE— ST. JAMES PARK PROPERTY. 10-room house, with barn, on lot 150x300 feet to alley; most desirable location in the city; only lot for sale.
J. C. MERRILL, 325 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Phones—Main 8964, Home 6041.

FOR SALE—
Bargains for builders or investors.
Lot—A block of land having 2 frontages that will make 16 good lots, on 2 electric lines, cottages or bungalows built on these would sell before completion. Close

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—

ARCADE CORNER PROPERTY.

180x119 feet with 400 square feet of great speculative assets, at the corner it faces almost directly into the main (main) entrance of the Union Depot; contains 3 cottages and a two-story building, Nos. 327-35 Cores street. To be held under an old equity sale on the 21st, and can be delivered at once; $80,000 for the land, the improvements FREE. Owner has been writing that the price will be $500 per foot if taxed when sold. This property will taxed at this price for 1907. Buy it now. BLACK Agents 411 Jan. H. L.A.R.R. Trust Building. Both Phones.

FOR SALE—

A SURE SNAP ON GRAND AVENUE. DOUBLE FRONTAGE. BUNKER HILL. IMPROVED WITH NEW APARTMENT BUILDING. FURNISHED. ALL READY TO STEP IN. 20% PAYING OVER 21 PER CENT. FOR INVESTMENT. FOR OBVIOUS REASONS OWNER WILL SELL AT $37,500. REASONABLE TERMS. LOOK IT UP.

WRIGHT & CALLENDER, 219-223 S. HILL STREET.

FOR SALE—BY J. H. CLARK, 122 Byrne Bldg. A list of good properties for investments. Buy now.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER—

NEW 6-ROOM COTTAGE AND LOT, $2250; $250 cash, balance $20 per month. Also 4-room cottage and lot, $1650; $200 cash, balance $15 per month. Also 5-room cottage and lot, $1850; $250 cash, balance $15 per month. Also 6-room cottage and lot, $2250; $300 cash, balance $20 per month. Also 7-room cottage and lot, $2750; $400 cash, balance $25 per month. Also 8-room cottage and lot, $3250; $500 cash, balance $30 per month. Also 9-room cottage and lot, $3750; $600 cash, balance $35 per month. Also 10-room cottage and lot, $4250; $700 cash, balance $40 per month. Also 11-room cottage and lot, $4750; $800 cash, balance $45 per month. Also 12-room cottage and lot, $5250; $900 cash, balance $50 per month. Also 13-room cottage and lot, $5750; $1000 cash, balance $55 per month. Also 14-room cottage and lot, $6250; $1100 cash, balance $60 per month. Also 15-room cottage and lot, $6750; $1200 cash, balance $65 per month. Also 16-room cottage and lot, $7250; $1300 cash, balance $70 per month. Also 17-room cottage and lot, $7750; $1400 cash, balance $75 per month. Also 18-room cottage and lot, $8250; $1500 cash, balance $80 per month. Also 19-room cottage and lot, $8750; $1600 cash, balance $85 per month. Also 20-room cottage and lot, $9250; $1700 cash, balance $90 per month. Also 21-room cottage and lot, $9750; $1800 cash, balance $95 per month. Also 22-room cottage and lot, $10,250; $1900 cash, balance $100 per month. Also 23-room cottage and lot, $10,750; $2000 cash, balance $105 per month. Also 24-room cottage and lot, $11,250; $2100 cash, balance $110 per month. Also 25-room cottage and lot, $11,750; $2200 cash, balance $115 per month. Also 26-room cottage and lot, $12,250; $2300 cash, balance $120 per month. Also 27-room cottage and lot, $12,750; $2400 cash, balance $125 per month. Also 28-room cottage and lot, $13,250; $2500 cash, balance $130 per month. Also 29-room cottage and lot, $13,750; $2600 cash, balance $135 per month. Also 30-room cottage and lot, $14,250; $2700 cash, balance $140 per month. Also 31-room cottage and lot, $14,750; $2800 cash, balance $145 per month. Also 32-room cottage and lot, $15,250; $2900 cash, balance $150 per month. Also 33-room cottage and lot, $15,750; $3000 cash, balance $155 per month. Also 34-room cottage and lot, $16,250; $3100 cash, balance $160 per month. Also 35-room cottage and lot, $16,750; $3200 cash, balance $165 per month. Also 36-room cottage and lot, $17,250; $3300 cash, balance $170 per month. Also 37-room cottage and lot, $17,750; $3400 cash, balance $175 per month. Also 38-room cottage and lot, $18,250; $3500 cash, balance $180 per month. Also 39-room cottage and lot, $18,750; $3600 cash, balance $185 per month. Also 40-room cottage and lot, $19,250; $3700 cash, balance $190 per month. Also 41-room cottage and lot, $19,750; $3800 cash, balance $195 per month. Also 42-room cottage and lot, $20,250; $3900 cash, balance $200 per month. Also 43-room cottage and lot, $20,750; $4000 cash, balance $205 per month. Also 44-room cottage and lot, $21,250; $4100 cash, balance $210 per month. Also 45-room cottage and lot, $21,750; $4200 cash, balance $215 per month. Also 46-room cottage and lot, $22,250; $4300 cash, balance $220 per month. Also 47-room cottage and lot, $22,750; $4400 cash, balance $225 per month. Also 48-room cottage and lot, $23,250; $4500 cash, balance $230 per month. Also 49-room cottage and lot, $23,750; $4600 cash, balance $235 per month. Also 50-room cottage and lot, $24,250; $4700 cash, balance $240 per month. Also 51-room cottage and lot, $24,750; $4800 cash, balance $245 per month. Also 52-room cottage and lot, $25,250; $4900 cash, balance $250 per month. Also 53-room cottage and lot, $25,750; $5000 cash, balance $255 per month. Also 54-room cottage and lot, $26,250; $5100 cash, balance $260 per month. Also 55-room cottage and lot, $26,750; $5200 cash, balance $265 per month. Also 56-room cottage and lot, $27,250; $5300 cash, balance $270 per month. Also 57-room cottage and lot, $27,750; $5400 cash, balance $275 per month. Also 58-room cottage and lot, $28,250; $5500 cash, balance $280 per month. Also 59-room cottage and lot, $28,750; $5600 cash, balance $285 per month. Also 60-room cottage and lot, $29,250; $5700 cash, balance $290 per month. Also 61-room cottage and lot, $29,750; $5800 cash, balance $295 per month. Also 62-room cottage and lot, $30,250; $5900 cash, balance $300 per month. Also 63-room cottage and lot, $30,750; $6000 cash, balance $305 per month. Also 64-room cottage and lot, $31,250; $6100 cash, balance $310 per month. Also 65-room cottage and lot, $31,750; $6200 cash, balance $315 per month. Also 66-room cottage and lot, $32,250; $6300 cash, balance $320 per month. Also 67-room cottage and lot, $32,750; $6400 cash, balance $325 per month. Also 68-room cottage and lot, $33,250; $6500 cash, balance $330 per month. Also 69-room cottage and lot, $33,750; $6600 cash, balance $335 per month. Also 70-room cottage and lot, $34,250; $6700 cash, balance $340 per month. Also 71-room cottage and lot, $34,750; $6800 cash, balance $345 per month. Also 72-room cottage and lot, $35,250; $6900 cash, balance $350 per month. Also 73-room cottage and lot, $35,750; $7000 cash, balance $355 per month. Also 74-room cottage and lot, $36,250; $7100 cash, balance $360 per month. Also 75-room cottage and lot, $36,750; $7200 cash, balance $365 per month. Also 76-room cottage and lot, $37,250; $7300 cash, balance $370 per month. Also 77-room cottage and lot, $37,750; $7400 cash, balance $375 per month. Also 78-room cottage and lot, $38,250; $7500 cash, balance $380 per month. Also 79-room cottage and lot, $38,750; $7600 cash, balance $385 per month. Also 80-room cottage and lot, $39,250; $7700 cash, balance $390 per month. Also 81-room cottage and lot, $39,750; $7800 cash, balance $395 per month. Also 82-room cottage and lot, $40,250; $7900 cash, balance $400 per month. Also 83-room cottage and lot, $40,750; $8000 cash, balance $405 per month. Also 84-room cottage and lot, $41,250; $8100 cash, balance $410 per month. Also 85-room cottage and lot, $41,750; $8200 cash, balance $415 per month. Also 86-room cottage and lot, $42,250; $8300 cash, balance $420 per month. Also 87-room cottage and lot, $42,750; $8400 cash, balance $425 per month. Also 88-room cottage and lot, $43,250; $8500 cash, balance $430 per month. Also 89-room cottage and lot, $43,750; $8600 cash, balance $435 per month. Also 90-room cottage and lot, $44,250; $8700 cash, balance $440 per month. Also 91-room cottage and lot, $44,750; $8800 cash, balance $445 per month. Also 92-room cottage and lot, $45,250; $8900 cash, balance $450 per month. Also 93-room cottage and lot, $45,750; $9000 cash, balance $455 per month. Also 94-room cottage and lot, $46,250; $9100 cash, balance $460 per month. Also 95-room cottage and lot, $46,750; $9200 cash, balance $465 per month. Also 96-room cottage and lot, $47,250; $9300 cash, balance $470 per month. Also 97-room cottage and lot, $47,750; $9400 cash, balance $475 per month. Also 98-room cottage and lot, $48,250; $9500 cash, balance $480 per month. Also 99-room cottage and lot, $48,750; $9600 cash, balance $485 per month. Also 100-room cottage and lot, $49,250; $9700 cash, balance $490 per month. Also 101-room cottage and lot, $49,750; $9800 cash, balance $495 per month. Also 102-room cottage and lot, $50,250; $9900 cash, balance $500 per month. Also 103-room cottage and lot, $50,750; $10,000 cash, balance $505 per month. Also 104-room cottage and lot, $51,250; $10,100 cash, balance $510 per month. Also 105-room cottage and lot, $51,750; $10,200 cash, balance $515 per month. Also 106-room cottage and lot, $52,250; $10,300 cash, balance $520 per month. Also 107-room cottage and lot, $52,750; $10,400 cash, balance $525 per month. 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Question of Interest on Cairngorm.

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 11.—(To the Editor of The Times:) Referring to "Cairngorm and Rutile" in last Thursday's issue and noting that "The Earth" considers that smoky quartz, cairngorm I, respectfully, address a few lines to show that, this is so. I understand the relations of common quartz and its common cognomens. I thought a line or two would show that I came to disagree in your appraisal.

I have for years been surprised at notice in "Dana" that smoky quartz is the same as in your statement.

I am not a mineralogical expert, but a mineralogical master, like yourself, but am an old fogy in mineralogical science, hence, some truths about cairngorm I herewith relate, viz.: the neighborhood of Cairngorm, Scotland, the yellow quarts "Citrine," common pebble. Further, the Highland regiments of the English army wear pebbles and brooches to fasten their plaids, as the end passes the shoulder a Cairngorm stone, or false topaz, is in a brooch and ornaments the dress, as well as secures the plaid. I would feel grateful to you if you will be kind enough to make me see light in the confusion and so straighten me out on the matter. Very truly, J. J.

ANSWER: Your letter was received. The objectionable sentence in the communication is, the term, "mineralogical master." As one advances in learning the most honorable position is that of student. Under the above two examples, are often in evening lectures, one species possessing knowledge, self-deceived, at an inopportune moment, will boldly ask such questions, such as "what is the difference between drugs and poisons," appears on drug store signs. Or other variety of student, like the observant, a seeker after truth in good faith does all in his power writing copy, or otherwise, to aid in preparation of lectures. Is it any wonder that the last described would always carries off the honors?

The New York correspondent of The Times to give the "mineralogical" name of the mineral and actually conclusions?" The answer, right in was that "usually, and beautiful quartz (samples submitted) has clear, or a light-smoky." The New York correspondent's) opinion quarts of the dark variety is "Cairngorm," the acicular are "Rattle."

For your benefit, and that of at Pala, N. Y., and elsewhere observe the above sentence—"a variety known as Cairngorm," report whereof the following is quoted. "Webster's Unabridged tionary" shows: Cairngorm yellow or smoky brown variety crystal or crystalized quartz, especially; in the mountains of gorm, Scotland. By the same it appears that cairn (a rounded or conical heap of erected by early inhabitants British Isles, apparently as a chral monument. "Now here place the gray stone of her (Campbell). In the poet's stone was gray. The "Universal tionary" sets forth Cairngorm named from mountains cairn (a heap, a rock) gorm green), a smoky yellow or brown variety of rock crystal quartz.

Dr. George Frederick Kunz, cork "Gems and Precious shows as follows: Cairngorm parent, smoky, gray, yellow, brown, and brown, in color, quartz, also known as smoky cairngorm and citrine. "Rock crystal" his quoted work shows such "from a light yellow to the dark, smoky, cairngorm specially, "False topaz, Scotch, or Spanish topaz is transparent or light brown generally the result decolorization by heat."

Prof. James Dwight Dana in "Mineralogy," sets forth topaz) as "yellow or pellucid of ...; resembling somewhat topaz, but very different in tion and in absence of cleavage. greatest of mineralogical authors, further shows: "smoky stone—smoky yellow to brown, and often transparent varying to brownish black, nearly opaque in thick crystals many near Pala). "The color organic compounds." In edition of Dana's "Cairngorm stone" is shown as smoky yellow to smoky brown often transparent; but very brownish black. . . . The color is due to titanic acid, the remaining rutile are usually." Henry William Bristow, F. R. S., the Geological Survey of England, "often saw the piper, way down in Dundee, at which he would wait for a sedan." In his "Glossary of Geology" we read—"Cairngorm stone. The pellucid wine-yellow varieties of smoky quartz, so named from the mountain in Banffshire, where they are found, and throughout the central parts of the Grampian Hills; the crystals on the east side of Loch Lee are pale and very clear, while on the west side are of a darker color. The Cairngorm is largely manufactured into jewelry, and those generally used for ornaments are the handles of dirks, pendants, snuff-mulls and other articles of dress, the kind which form part of the national costume." The same author describing smoky quartz, shows that it is brownish, smoke colored tint, passes the wine yellow and colorless crystals, which are the true Cairngorm found in Scotland. . . . The color is" therefore, respectively described, that. . . "the yellow variety, is a common pebble in Europe and occurs near Cairngorm, Scotland. If there is "confusion" in the fact that the color of Cairngorm is due either to organic acid, or tourmaline, as given it occurs, other than "Cairngorm," is generally the result of "excessive heat." Please note, also the "pebble on the east side of Loch Lee," are, "pale and very clear," and those from the "pebble" of "its own color." The "pebble" is to be, probably, citrine, notwithstanding the fact of their presence. "In the neighborhood of Cairngorm" such pebbles are often found." The true Cairngorm stone, "is said to "see light." Citrine is "varies in nature of a dark brown quartz, or carries acicular inclusions," and, concluding with Prof. Dana further, a chemical analysis of "smoky quartz from Cairngorm, and smoky quartz from Pike Peak, the one with inclusions, gives the following results."

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Chicago & Northwestern, from the present terminus near Casper, Wyo., to Salt Lake City and northwest across Idaho to Boise, across Eastern Oregon to Portland, and north to Puget Sound; estimated mileage about 1200.

Oregon Eastern (Harriman,) across Oregon from east to west, connecting the Southern Pacific at Eugene, 123 miles south of Portland, with the Oregon Short Line at Ontario, on the Idaho-Oregon border, and with branch lines extending throughout Central and Southern Oregon to tap the great government reclamation projects at Klamath Lake and in Malheur and Harney counties, and the Carey Act projects of Crook and Lake and Northern Klamath counties; about 300 miles under survey.

Oregon Western (Harriman,) from Drain, on the Southern Pacific, to a point south of Portland, to Coos Bay, the most important inlet on the Pacific Ocean between Puget Sound and San Francisco Bay below the Columbia River; 81 miles, under construction.

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Canadian & International (Canadian Pacific,) from Spokane, Wash., to connection with the Canadian Pacific near the international boundary.

MEMPHIS, Jan. 16.—That the ...ward movement of recent ...n the United States has set in ...ific Coast States, and is par...monstrated in the Northwest ...enerally recognised by the ...ers on the technical journals ...ing upon the reason for ...ures of hundreds of millions ...mmercial systems already ...ilway and of others to extend ...ines to Pacific tide water. ...ndeed, traffic is the pot of ...ld of the railroad rainbow ...ore of the United ...ds which no less than four ...ads are racing, and for the ...ich other great systems ...ding advantageous positions ...

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OVER THE TIMBER.

...less than fifty years since the ...gon and Washington were ...by the first colonists in any ...rt, and it is a quarter of ...the transcontinental rail...the Pacific Northwest ...ns of the Union east of ...Mountains, but the people ...to appreciate the coming ...forests of fir, spruce, hem...and sugar pine and more ...less abundant varieties of ...ut in the forests of the re...ly endowed with timber ...ington was most aggres...ment of its lumber in...the result that its tim...ed extensively depleted, ...or so mills cutting its ...have no fear of any lack ...for the saws during the ...of a century, perhaps. As ...Wisconsin, Minnesota and ...depicted the big opera...of whom had previously ...ant traffic relations with ...Pacific and Great North...were disposed to con...ditions at the other end ...ystems, and transferred ...Washington timber lands ...many instances from the ...which the tonnage result...furnished for shipment. ...has more standing tim...other State of the Union, ...numbering about five ...enough annually to ...five feet high around the ...equator and enough be...across the United States, ...this number of saws busy ...within the territory be...and the sea, a direct ...dirty miles, and south of ...river for an equal dis...standing timber to ...of Portland, turning out ...end of the annual cut ...steadily in operation for ...years.

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The Chicago and Northwestern enjoys certain close relations with the Harriman system, in that its through overland limited train and transcontinental through mail service is a joint arrangement, but the Northwestern desires a voice in division of traffic, and wants the full through rate instead of a division on heavy freight traffic. Therefore, the company is providing the necessary millions from the coffers of its bankers and bondholders to extend from Western Wyoming to Portland, to Puget Sound and into the irrigated districts of the inland empire of Oregon, Washington and Idaho.

Financial directors of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul see justification in the traffic of Oregon and Washington for the expenditure of $50,000,000, in building from Evarts, S. D., to Idaho, Washington and Oregon, crossing the Rocky Mountains over heavy grades and at great cost, in order to reach out for division of business with Mr. Hill and Mr. Harriman at Portland, at Spokane, at Tacoma and at Seattle.

All these giants of the railroad and financial world are engaged in a contest for a share in the immense natural resources of the Northwest, which citizens of the States do not comprehend at their true value. The forests are commonplace here, but people of the inland States clamor for the beautiful lumber produced from the fallen trees. The shipping that passes in and out of the Columbia is but a speck on the surface of the broad ocean, but it is worth fortunes in freight traffic.

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(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.)

TUCSON (Ariz.) Jan. 13.—Near Tucson, in the cactus-covered foothills, is the "desert laboratory" of the Carnegie Institute of Washington. Heretofore its work has had to be limited in scope, owing to its meager allowance of $8000 per annum. The citizens of Tucson have taken keen interest in the institution and have, at their own cost, graded a road to it and made other necessary and costly additions to the equipment.

It is now announced that the work that has been done has proved of such scientific value that the allotment has been increased to $25,000 a year. The buildings are to be doubled in size, additional apparatus has been secured and several scientists will be added to the staff.

Dr. D. MacDougal, late assistant director of the New York Botanical Gardens has been installed a director of the department of botanical research of the Carnegie Institute, and will come to Arizona to make Tucson his headquarters. Dr. Cannon, heretofore in charge of the work around Tucson, will remain, as a specialist in the study of desert growths.

TERRITORIAL BRIEFS.

A couple of years ago, Gila county was one of the smallest in the Territory in point of taxable property. This winter, by reason of the rapid development of the mining industry around Globe and the raise in mining assessments made by the Territorial Board of Equalization, the county has been raised to one of the first class and all salaries and allowances have been changed in consequence. The large mining companies have refused to pay the increased tax, however, and over $40,000 taxes has gone delinquent, pending result of the appeal of the mine owners to the Territorial Supreme Court.

The failure of Nathan B. Goodnow & Co., mining brokers of Boston, has caught a number of Globe investors. The total liabilities are placed at $100,000. Of this, Globe residents are estimated to have dropped $40,000, in the hands of the firm, held for investment or tied up in speculation in copper stocks. It is understood that about a 50-per-cent. dividend may be expected through the cashing of life insurance due the estate of Goodnow, who died two years ago.

The damage at the Tranquility shaft house, Tombstone, through the fire of the 11th inst., amounted to about $5000. The flames were kept from entering the shaft. Still more sinking pumps are being installed in the Tombstone main shaft.

Last week another great cave-in occurred in the Commonwealth mine at Pearce, filling up old workings, but not materially injuring the more modern drifts and stopes.

The Omega mine, in Helvetia district, is reported to have been sold by Louis Zeckendorff to Boston capitalists for $200,000.

At Nogales, Monday, in a water tank, was found the body of Mrs. James Mix, wife of an inspector in the customs service. The tank is an elevated one, on the Mix premises, and reached only by a ladder. Discovery of the body was made by Mrs. Walter McCurdy, Mrs. Mix's daughter, who had climbed to the tank, looking for her mother, who had disappeared a short time before. It was a case of suicide, caused by melancholia.

W. A. Sales, assistant superintendent of the Sultana mine, near Carbo, Sonora, was murdered last Wednesday on the road between the mine and the town. The return of his horse to the camp, without saddle or bridle, led to search for the miner. Sunday were found his skull and a few bones, wild animals having found the body. The skull had been crushed in, as though by a blow from a club. It is believed that the murder was done by Yaquis.

George Woodward, a prominent American resident of Moctezuma, Sonora, has written emphatic denial of late stories of Yaqui outrages in his vicinity. He is indignant over the report that a man and woman had been tortured by Indians on the road between Cumpas and Nacozari. Mr. Woodward states that there is no alarm whatever in his neighborhood over the Indians and that they have done no damage in that locality.

Still another murder has been reported from Silver Bell camp, where Altagracia Manzo was killed last Sunday by Ramon Castro, who had been the woman's paramour. It was a case of jealousy. Castro has escaped.

The authorities at Silver Bell have determined upon breaking up the lawlessness that has made that camp notorious since its start. As a good beginning, the disorderly women have been deported.

Friday night Eduardo Terra, a workman in the Coronado mine, near Metcalf, made a misstep and dropped to death at the bottom of a deep shaft.

At Globe a Mexican wood-hauler aroused the indignation of a number of citizens by the manner in which he was beating a burro, which had fallen under its overload of wood. Willing hands relieved the animal of its load and promptly fastened the cargo on the back of the Mexican. He was forced to stagger under the burden for a few yards before relieved.

The members of the firm of J. G White & Co., contractors on the Colorado dam above Yuma, have been held to appear before the next United States jury under charge of violation of the government eight-hour law. The charge against the firm was pushed by the Socialists of Yuma.

Though out of season in Arizona, venison is coming in good supply from Sonora, where no game laws restrict the enthusiasm of the hunter.

C. W. Eberle, a Los Angeles mining man, and Miss Mary Belle Hill, also of Los Angeles, were married in Tucson Monday, in the parlors of the Santa Rita Hotel. The married couple left the same afternoon for Nogales, where the groom has mining interests. Their stay there will be of only a few days, however, for they will make a wedding trip to the City of Mexico. Another local marriage of California interest was that of Charles L. Lockard of Los Angeles and Miss Margaret Decourcey of Boston.

The crusade against spitting on the sidewalks of Tucson has reached a point where arrests are being made daily for the offense. It costs the careless ones $5 each.

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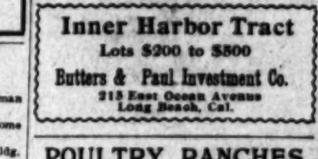
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Charities Conference Hears Talk to Point.

President George A. Gates of Pomona College was thrown into the gap created yesterday by the failure of Gov. Pardee to appear at the opening session of the State Conference of Charities and Corrections. He said so himself. Mrs. Pardee is ill and the Governor will not be able to attend the conference.

But no apology is to be made for Dr. Gates. He delivered an eloquent address, pregnant with clear views and positive statements that brought many rounds of applause.

In speaking of the necessity for putting convicts to work, not as a punishment but as a matter of education, in order that they may come to their freedom in possession of means of making an honest living, Dr. Gates said:

"I want just here to say that the interference of the labor unions with the trade of broom-making in the penitentiary is most unwarranted and unjustifiable. They demand that these men shall not be taught to take a stick in their hands and turn it into an article of household use, and they go to the Legislature and ask that a law be passed prohibiting the making of brooms in the penitentiary. I say the thing is infamous. [Great applause.]

"I say, if the broom-maker loses his job let him hustle around and get another one, the same as the rest of us have to do. [Applause.] We don't go asking the Legislature to pass a law keeping us in our places and we have no right to do it. [Applause.] It is nothing but a bit of cheap political poltroonery. [Applause.] I'm not pleading one bit of sentimentality in that line. The State has a right to put its loafers to work, not as a punishment but as a school, and no man has a right to say she shall not."

Great applause followed the final statement of Dr. Gates, his sentences having been delivered with the very opposite of passion or excitement, but in the most deliberate and impressive manner.

ABSENT CELEBRITIES.

Simpson Auditorium was elaborately decorated with palms, smilax and flowers from the city conservatory for the opening of the conference, but owing to the rain that prevailed the crowd was not large. Mayor McAleer, who was announced to deliver the address of welcome to the visiting delegates, pleaded a pressure of important business and in a few words expressed his regrets and assured the conference of a royal welcome to the city.

Dr. Walter Lindley, chairman of the local committee, called the conference to order and voiced the welcome on behalf of those directly interested in the work which the conference is called to consider. He said in the course of his informal talk:

"We didn't know we would bring you here when we were having this grand and glorious rain, which is more important than any charity work.

"Charity work, to my mind, is running too much to science and system and method; there is too much leaning toward cutting out real heart-charity. Children are being taught not to give to the poor blind man, threatening to isolate us from the poor and thus depriving us of a great source of education. If we are to do the best by children they must come up against the unfortunates in life.

"If this conference can strike something into the hearts of young men and young women that will inspire them to go out and do something for humanity, we will have accomplished much more than can be done by rule or system or method."

Dr. Lindley introduced as president of the conference, Frank J. Symmes, who is also president of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association of San Francisco. President Symmes in his opening sentences paid a high compliment to Los Angeles and her people, recognizing the city's wonderful growth and enterprise, commercial importance and the high character of her people. Speaking for organized charity, he said:

"Wise management and careful organization are as necessary to the proper administration of charity as to the transaction of the business of a bank.

"It has been found that the delinquents among children generally come from among those who have been deprived of the influence of home and its domestic surroundings.

"It has been found," he said, when referring to some of the causes of poverty, "that the greatest enemy of mankind—the fearful disease and scourage of the people, the great white plague—can not only be relieved but can probably be cured."

CHAMPION THEORIST.

President Gates of Pomona College, who is also vice-president of the Board of Charities and Corrections, began his splendid extemporaneous address with the statement that "theorists in the world after all, have their rights."

"The theorist," he said, "stands about as fair a chance of being right as the hard-headed business man who thinks he can't be wrong."

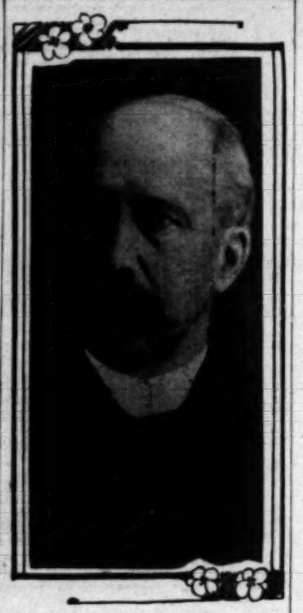
He said this is a mild protest against the theory that all correction and reformation must be brought about through love. He likewise deplored the slowness of the law in rising to the proper conception of what is demanded for the reformation of the criminal. He declared:

"The law is immeasurably behind any contemporaneous state of humanity. The law comes tagging along behind humanity—a long, long, ways behind an organization like this, which is far in advance of any statute law.

"Punishment," he said, "is no part of human business. It is a pretty broad proposition and I don't expect many people to agree with me. A man has no right to punish his child, unless we wish to go back to the days of barbarism. I mean punishment in its broadest sense—punishment to get even. No man has a right to lay his hand on another in a spirit of retribution. Getting back at a man is no part of the administration of the universe.

"What are we here for but to get through with difficulties and trials and disappointments? The only right we have to lay hands on a man is to prevent him doing wrong; forgive him and turn him loose. We may have to keep him in jails in order to keep him from doing wrong, but we must do it. This may extend to murder itself. On my word, there are better uses to which human beings may be put than hanging them.

"I have no squeamish sentimentality on the subject of human life; people ought to be killed—lots of them—but not in this way."



DR. GEORGE A. GATES.

President Gates closed his address by his burning reference to the impudent attitude of the union broom-makers quoted above. His entire address attracted unusual attention and caused a buzz of comment after the applause had subsided.

At the close of the afternoon session the ladies of the Reception Committee, of which Mrs. Sartoris is chairman, served coffee, punch and sandwiches, Mrs. Millard pouring the coffee.

EVENING SESSION.

The evening session was opened by President Symmes, who introduced the real father of the conference, in the person of W. Almont Gates, secretary of the State Board of Charities and Corrections. What Mr. Gates doesn't know of the subject, is said to be not worth knowing, and he had a practical topic in "The Prisoner and the State." He is an entertaining speaker, and following are the main points in his address:

SECRETARY'S ADDRESS.

"In all ages of the world's history there have been men and women who have resisted the restraints of social laws and have been ruled solely by their own desires. These are the natural criminals. Others have violated laws through sudden temptation or mistake and are accidental criminals. Still others who have chosen crime as a career and are the business criminals.

"It was an old idea that so much imprisonment should be dealt out for so much crime—an eye for an eye. We punish crime today for three reasons—but revenge is not one of them. First, that the prisoner may be deprived of the opportunity to commit crime; second, that the example of his punishment may act as a deterrent to others; third, that during his confinement in prison the State may have an opportunity to train him for a useful citizen.

"The following are essential provisions in a good prison system: The segregation and proper classification of prisoners; a separate cell for each prisoner and never should more than one prisoner occupy the same cell at the same time; from the time the prisoner leaves his cell in the morning until he is locked in at night he should have no idle time on his hands; he should not be permitted to hold any general conversation with other prisoners or to enter into any association with them except those of the workshop or classroom; there should be a system of grades and merits; sentences should be indeterminate, that is, the judge sentencing the criminal to prison should not fix any limit to the time he shall remain there. This officer usually measures off so much punishment for so much crime, and the prisoner is impressed with the idea of retributive justice—paying the penalty. A criminal should be sent to the prison until cured, the same as an insane man is sent to an insane hospital. Both are mental defects.

"When the prisoner has reached that state when he can be called cured he should be placed out on parole in good employment, and under the watchful care of the prison agent. This is merely a trial, and if found successful after a proper time the prisoner may receive his final discharge. But no prisoner can be paroled except from the first grade, and no prisoner discharged except from parole.

"When finally discharged the prisoner must be impressed with another fact, that, considering what has been done for him, if he reverts to a criminal life and is returned to prison his stay necessarily must be so long as to make it practically a life sentence. This will destroy the business of crime.

"The records of reformatories covering a period of several years show that over 75 per cent. of their inmates are reformed. The records of the penitentiaries show a result not far behind that of the reformatories. This system saves men, and therefore should strongly appeal to that great body of the community who believe that men are worth saying.

"The saving to the State in dollars by the reclamation of large numbers of criminals cannot be estimated. We have more than 600 men who are serving more than their first term in our prisons. There are at least 500 more who have served former terms in other prisons. We have one man serving his ninth term; seven their eighth term, and so on.

"We have in this State two prisons, in them the old and the young, the hardened criminal and the first offender are confined together. They come out much more determined and far better prepared to lead a life of crime than when they went in. The State gives them $5 and a telltale suit of clothes, casts them again upon the great sea of life and tells them to sink or swim. As they toss about in the tides and eddies of this great sea, we of the select class look upon them, gather our clothes around us and refuse even to throw them a life preserver. Down they go again into the mud and mire of crime.

"These men must live. Many of them would not work if they could. Some of them would, but cannot get the opportunity. If by accident one gets a place other discharged convicts locate him and blackmail him out of his job. We are teaching men how to to be criminals and then compelling them to be criminals or starve.

"I am sorry to state these facts. I do so that you may know them and furnish the remedy. This lies with the citizens of the State. It is the system that is to blame and the people are responsible for the system. For the last ten years the Board of Prison Directors have asked for the power and means to change this system. The last Legislature granted liberally the money necessary to build new cell-houses so that each prisoner may have a single cell. No provision, however, has been made for segregating the younger prisoners into a reformatory. This can be done by converting either one of the present prisons, probably Folsom, or the Preston School of Industry, into such an institution. If neither of these suggestions is found practicable, then it will be necessary to build a new reformatory.

"The reversal of our system is necessary for our own protection. I am fully convinced that the system here presented, if adopted and carried out, will, in ten years, reduce our ratio of prisoners to the population one-half; reduce undetected and unpunished crime two-thirds, and the cost of crime to the State three-fourths. Is not this result worth striving for? Is it not a duty we owe to the prisoner, to the State and to society? I appeal to you as citizens of this State to perform this duty and place California toward the front in the onward march of civilization."

The first to take up the discussion of the subject presented by Secretary Gates was D. E. Myers of Riverside, former superintendent of the Minnesota State Reformatory. He is father of the system there practiced, which divides the criminals into three grades, two of which receive compensation for their labor. Mr. Myers said, in the course of his remarks:

"In a long life of close observation, and some experience in dealing with criminals, I have found few men who were wholly bad, and none who were wholly good. The law does not judge men by what they are but by what they do. A bad man who keeps within the pale of the law stands better than a comparatively good man who has been overtaken in a fault, or broken the law. What the State, in many instances, recognizes as good characters, shade down alarmingly close, if they do not actually merge into criminal characters. In these days of high finance it is getting very difficult to discriminate between the criminal and the honest character. You will therefore pardon me if the line seems to be somewhat obscure.

"In dealing with this subject I shall treat crime as a disease, as I believe it to be. I am aware there are some wise men who differ with me on this point. I will not dispute about terms. The only point I wish to insist upon is that it will yield to intelligent treatment and can be cured.

"To my mind there is no sadder commentary on our so-called Christian civilization than the fact that while millions are being spent upon men and methods for the treatment of physical disease, and the erection of buildings adapted to the work, practically nothing is being done, from a scientific standpoint, toward the treatment of the diseases of crime.

"The first difficulty we meet with in our work of prison reform is our criminal code. Like almost all other criminal codes since the dark ages, it is based upon the theory of revenge or retributive justice. Of all of the professions, the law is the most conservative and has made the least progress, especially in the province of criminal law. Lawmakers today are engaged in trying to make the penalty fit the crime, and the crime and the penalty fit the criminal, just as they were a thousand years ago.

"As soon as the criminal enters the prison there should at once be brought into operation a wise system of rewards and punishments especially adapted to the work. If such a system is wisely administered and adhered to long enough, the criminal's character will gradually be changed from a dishonest character to an honest one.

"A vulture does not locate carrion with more accuracy or with greater facility than does a criminal locate rascality if it exists among the officers placed over him. If the superintendent of a prison falls short of exact honesty in his dealings in the prison his usefulness is ended so far as reforming the inmates is concerned.

"In addition to being honest and sincere, the superintendent of a prison must be a just man. There was an axiom among the sages of ancient times that justice was the mistress of all things, both mortal and immortal. They were not far wrong. It is certain that the love of justice is instinctive, is born in every human being. There is no criminal so depraved who does not possess some idea of what he calls justice. He demands a square deal. He may not be willing to grant it to others, but he wants it for himself, and he knows whether he and his fellow prisoners are getting it or not."

Mr. Meyers, then discussed at great length what he believes to be the proper treatment for prisoners, in order that they may be reformed, as well as punished for the crimes for which they are committed.

Robert T. Devlin, president of the Board of Prison Directors, was unable to attend the conference, but he sent a paper on the subject of "Our State Prisons," which was read by the president of the conference. It was in part as follows:

OUR STATE PRISONS.

"Before the adoption of the present constitution in 1879, the labor of convicts was let out by contract to the highest bidder, and the successful contractor, no matter how humane he was individually, was in his business relations, actuated simply by his desire for gain. When the present constitution was adopted, it was provided that at the expiration of the existing contracts, the labor of convicts should not be let out for hire. This forced upon the State the necessity of providing employment for convicts. But still the old idea runs through prison management, and the prime consideration is that the labor of convicts should be profitable to the State rather than beneficial to the prisoner.

"The increase in our prison population renders the accommodations formerly adequate entirely insufficient, and all who are familiar with prison management know the consequences that result from over-crowding. The board of directors has endeavored so far as lay in its power to remedy these evils, but found themselves incapable of accomplishing much improvement on account of the lack of means to construct additional buildings. At the last session of the Legislature sufficient appropriations were secured to enable both prisons to be enlarged so as to accommodate the existing number of prisoners. When these buildings are erected, it is intended to have the prisoners classified into three grades, and the different buildings and grounds will be so constructed and arranged that one class will have no communication with the other. Under this system, the prisoner when he enters will go into the second, or middle class, and either advance to the first or descend to the third, depending upon his conduct in prison. Such a segregation is, under the present conditions, absolutely impossible.

"The object of a prison should be not only to detain and punish, but also to create those habits of industry and labor which will enable the convict to become a law-abiding member of society when he is released. When the buildings contemplated are constructed it will be possible to keep each prisoner in a separate cell, and also to prevent the almost unrestricted communication the present conditions allow and encourage.

"The people of California are, I think, beginning slowly to realize that the management of prisons is a science requiring skill, education and experience. Unhappily, too often in the past, and perhaps even at the present day, offices in the prisons are looked upon as political positions, and men are appointed, not for their competency, but for other considerations. Hence it is not to be wondered that many failures in prison management are made.

"Many persons regard all prisoners as outlaws, and think that they should be kept under subjection like a lot of wild beasts. Those, however, who have had experience in the management of penal institutions, know that prisoners are human beings, and their bad habits may be eradicated, and good habits implanted by a system of work and discipline to the same extent as with any other individual."

The conference will visit the Whittier Reform School this morning, leaving the Huntington Building at 9 o'clock, and a session of the conference will be held in Simpson Auditorium at 2:30.

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gument was made yesterday the grocer's liabilities being at $6000, while his assets are of doubt. Creditors say they expect to realize 30 cents on Merwin says all claims paid in full.

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Mr. H. E. Huntington is Expending Over a Million Dollars Around Redondo In Substantial Improvements

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There was a moment of horrible suspense for the man in the sweat box, while the board cold-bloodedly took the case under advisement.

Several members were not disposed to be influenced by the tears of the man. They were in favor of taking the harshest measures, declaring the law had been broken, and hinting at crooked work.

The appraiser's report did not coincide with the glowing account of the business presented by Merwin. There were big holes in the account which could not be covered.

The board decided during a further investigation to relieve Merwin of all responsibility in connection with the business. A receiver was placed in charge of the stock, and Merwin walked out without a penny.

The Merwin grocery formerly was conducted under the firm name of Merwin Bros. Some time ago the other brother drew out of the business and went East.

While speaking of the failure, members of the board were anxious not to appear as accusers of the bankrupt man. A prominent member said:

"The most serious charge we could prove today is that of rank incompetency. The man has simply had good credit, and abused his trust. Now he has lost every cent. He will not pay 25 cents on the dollar."

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

[The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents without holding itself responsible for writers' opinions. Be brief, write plainly, state clearly. The space of 250 words, on the average, is sufficient for the expression of an idea or the presentation of a point. Well-written letters are liable to be declined merely on account of their length.]

Preserve Central Park.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 17.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I notice one of the evening papers advocating the "sale of Central Park for taxes." Now, I appeal to yours—the greatest newspaper in the United States today, because it has, and is waging the most successful war for the freedom of the working classes from the slavery of unionism—to strangle this idea of stealing by legal technicalities the only little beauty spot left in the heart of Los Angeles.

We have been boasting to the civilized world of our beautiful city, and its charming parks, but if the vandalism of commercialism should destroy this lovely little retreat for tired humanity, where little children may breathe a cooler and purer air than is to be found in the crowding tall buildings so rapidly growing up around it, we may well hang our heads in shame for such an act.

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NEW OFFICERS OF THE M. & M.

J. M. SCHNEIDER SUCCEEDS NILES PEASE AS PRESIDENT.

New Board of Directors Organizes for Coming Year and Selects Those Who Will Occupy Executive Positions—Resolutions of Respect for Memory of C. C. Wright.

The new Board of Directors of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association met yesterday afternoon for the first time. The most important piece of business was the selection of new officers. To fill the place of Niles Pease, the retiring president, the board elected J. M. Schneider, president of the J. W. Robinson Company. M. H. Newmark, manager of the M. A. Newmark Company, was chosen first vice-president, and C. H. Plummer, secretary of the Anderson-Chanslor Company, second vice-president. Perry W. Weidner, assistant cashier of the Central Bank, was re-elected treasurer, and F. J. Zeehandlaar will continue as the secretary.

JACOB M. SCHNEIDER, new president of the M. & M.

The meetings of the board will be held hereafter on the second and fourth Thursdays of the month at 3:15, instead of on the first and third Thursdays.

The board took action on the death of the late C. C. Wright, and passed the following resolutions:

"Whereas, The cruel hand of death has removed from the scene of his activities our honored attorney, Christopher C. Wright, who for a number of years has served this association faithfully, honestly and conscientiously, therefore be it

"Resolved, by the Board of Directors of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association of Los Angeles, that in the death of Mr. C. C. Wright the city has lost a most valuable, honorable and public-spirited citizen and this association a strong, wise and learned adviser, and, be it further

"Resolved, That on behalf of this association, our sincere sympathies are hereby extended to the bereaved family and that these resolutions be spread in full upon the minutes of the association, and that an engrossed copy be sent to his widow."

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PERSONALS.

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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

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Althouse Bros. report the sale by W. H. Loftus to E. T. Brown of a two-story ten-room residence, No. 1653 West Twenty-fifth street, lot 100x125; consideration, $13,000.

Nibbled Grass.

William Luciansack, father of the postmistress at Escondido, was taken to the County Hospital yesterday, violently insane. He was found wandering about in a field near Clearwater, nibbling grass.

Coming on Special Train.

Postmaster Flint is in receipt of a telegram from the Shriners of Boston, saying that they are coming in May in a special train, and asking that he reserve accommodations for them. They will be quartered at Hotel Alvarado.

Choir Change.

A change just made in the choir of the Church of the Unity returns the old quartette, including Mrs. Minnie Hance Owens, contralto; Charles A. Bowes, baritone; Mrs. Frank Colby, soprano, and Johann Haae-Zinck, tenor.

Nielsen's Opera.

Alice Nielsen's operatic presentation of "Don Pasquale" will be repeated again tonight at the Mason, and tomorrow evening the little prima-donna will be heard, with her entire company, in a concert evening of operatic selections.

Music Meeting Postponed.

On account of the rain, the meeting which was to have been held last night to form a local branch of the movement to foster American national music has been postponed until next Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. D. M. Riordan, No. 942 South Burlington avenue.

Fair Brought Money.

The recent fair held by St. Joseph's parish for the benefit of the new parochial school building was a winner financially. Although all of the accounts are not yet closed, the figures at present show that the total receipts were $8535, and this the net income will be about $7550.

New Priest Coming.

Rev. Peter H. McNellis, whose home has been in Buffalo, N. Y., and who has been pursuing his studies for the priesthood at St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, has been raised to the subdeaconate by Cardinal Gibbons, and during the present month he will be ordained a priest, and will come to Los Angeles for duty in this diocese.

Car Hits Rig.

J. Cramer, an aged man living at No. 406 North Chicago street, was severely bruised about the back and legs last evening when a Santa Monica car collided with the rig which he was driving at Sixteenth and Rich streets. The carriage was partially demolished. Cramer was treated at the Receiving Hospital and afterward was taken to his home.

Failed to Wing 'Em.

Special Officer Quinn last night fired two shots at two escaping prisoners whom he had arrested in Myers street while they were trying to dispose of a quantity of hose. The men broke and ran when Quinn was about to communicate with the Police Station, and as the officer's revolver was not loaded, he failed to wing either of them after placing his gun in fighting trim.

Willie Lost?

Willie Weingarten left his home in New York more than two months ago presumably to come to his father, Jacob Weingarten, No. 321 South Flower street, Los Angeles. He has not arrived and his father and sister fear he is lost. In December the sister received a letter from the boy, dated at Washington, D. C., asking for money. It was sent, but the lad did not reply. His sister says the money was sufficient to bring him to this city.

Chicagoans Invited Too.

The courtesies of the Chamber of Commerce have been extended to the Chicago Commercial Association for Saturday evening, when the reception to the Oregonians will take place. The Chicago visitors will arrive over the Santa Fe Friday night. Saturday morning the Automobile Club will show then the sights of the city, taking them around in big chug-wagons. In the evening they will share with the "Beavers" (as we have to call them now) the hospitality of the Chamber of Commerce.

Blaze Near Paints.

Fire in the Los Angeles Grill Company's store, No. 747 South Spring street, last night caused a loss of $150, fully covered by insurance. The blaze is thought to have originated from a wood stove which was left burning in the rear of the place. A passenger alighting from a car near the store noticed the fire, and the remarkably quick response of the fire department prevented a serious loss, as the blaze was about to communicate with a large quantity of paints and oils.

Sea-sick Man Hurt.

F. A. Edwards arrived in Los Angeles from San Francisco yesterday afternoon, and last evening found himself on the operating table in the Receiving Hospital. He made the trip from the northern city via steamship, and was seasick after reaching Los Angeles from San Pedro. He was in quest of his baggage when a depot-line car bowled him over on the First-street bridge. Police Surgeon Bonynge dressed the injuries—a bruised shoulder and lacerations of the face.

Ellery Music.

The Ellery programme at Venice this evening will be of Verdi and Wagner works. Verdi will be represented by the second scene of the first act of "Aida," the prison scene from "Trovatore" and the finale to the third act of "Traviata." The Wagner numbers are the "Tannhauser" march and overture and the grand selection from "Die Walkure." Signori Decimo and Sinicalchi will play the "Convegno" duet composed by Ponchielli for two clarinets. They will be accompanied by Mr. Ellery at the piano.

An Unknown "Smith."

An Associated Press dispatch from Victoria, B. C., received last night, stated that the steamer Moana, from Sidney, Australia, brought news of the strange lapse of memory of William S. Smith, a "labor leader" of Los Angeles. It was said that Smith had traveled from Los Angeles to Australia while suffering this lapse of memory, and is now being returned home on the steamer Sierra. The dispatch states that Smith's wife died in this city during his absence. The man appears to be not known here.

More Acreage to Subdivide.

Windston & McLeod have purchased from J. A. Stevens a tract of 35.46 acres about half a mile south of Slauson avenue. The tract is known as the Lamers place. The reported price is $33,115. The present seller bought this land less than three years ago for $11,000. He bought it with the intention of seeding it to alfalfa, but the immense rise in values in this district, on account of the active subdividing into fifty-foot lots, makes the profits off an alfalfa ranch look very small. Consequently he has taken his profits of nearly $25,000, and considerably over 200 per cent profit, instead of going farming.

BREVITIES.

The Men's Club of Christ Church are furnishing the citizens of Los Angeles with a rare treat this week at Dobinson's Auditorium. Nothing could be more interesting and instructive than the Great Shakespearean Lectures by Frederick Warde. Reserved seats only $1, on sale at Birkel's music store, 345 South Spring street.

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Today at 3:30, Polytechnic High School Auditorium, Washington street. Lecture by Miss Marie Shedlock, on "Art of Story Telling," with story illustrations, under auspices of L. A. Kindergarten Club. Admission 50c. Tickets at the door.

NOTICE. The Independent Church of Christ social for tonight has been postponed indefinitely.

California Rose Company city store is located at 212 Commercial st.

Dr. Sewall removed to 224 Laughlin Building temporarily.

Furs. D. Bonoff, furrier, 212 S. B'way.

VITAL RECORD { BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES.

Deaths.

KIDD. At her home, No. 643 West 32nd st., Thursday morning, at 2 o'clock, Mrs. Nancy Benny Kidd, aged 86 years. Funeral services Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Funeral private. Pittsburgh (Pa.) papers please copy.

WELLS. At his late residence, No. 621 North Grand avenue, George Wells, aged 77 years, beloved husband of Sarah Wells. Funeral Friday (today) from the chapel of Pierce Bros., 359 South Flower street, 2 p.m. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery. Terre Haute, Ind., papers please copy.

HILL. In Los Angeles, January 16, 1908, Charles Hill. Funeral at the parlors of Bresee Bros., Friday at 10 a.m.

Marriage Licenses.

MANSUR-GOING, Fred Mansur, aged 24, a native of New Hampshire, and Dorothy I. Going, aged 23, a native of South Dakota; both residents of Los Angeles.

BLACK-LESVIEL, Paul B. Black, aged 25, a native of Ohio, and Christina R. Lesveil, aged 22, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

FARLOW-MURPHY, Lewis H. Farlow, aged 46, a native of Massachusetts, and a resident of Orleans, Mass., and Golda G. Murphy, aged 25, a native of Missouri and a resident of Pasadena.

MUNGER-PENDERGRASS, Charles M. Munger aged 36, a native of Missouri, and Jennie T. Pendergrass, aged 17, a native of Arkansas; both residents of Los Angeles.

ARMSTRONG-BEATHAM, Elias B. Armstrong, aged 30, a native of Canada, and Edith E. Beatham, aged 19, a native of Michigan; both residents of San Pedro.

BROWN-BROWN, James A. Brown, aged 63, a native of Pennsylvania, and Susan Brown, aged 60, a native of Ohio; both residents of Long Beach.

FORBES-REICHARDT, Bruce D. Forbes, aged 25, a native of Nebraska, and Josephine K. Reichardt, aged 22, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

HUNTER-LEAHY, Vancle Oliver Hunter, aged 18, a native of Missouri, and Nellie I. Leahy, aged 18, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

DANDY-NELAN, Charles P. Dandy, aged 32, a native of Kentucky, and Sarah E. Nelan, aged 45, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

STOKES-DAVIDSON, William L. Stokes, aged 31, a native of Texas, and Gertrude L. Davidson, aged 28, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

SMITH-DAHL, Charles W. Smith, aged 23, a native of England, and Hilda M. Dahl, aged 21, a native of Norway; both residents of Pasadena.

BODGOOD-COSBY, Henry M. Bodgood, aged 38, a native of Georgia, and Jane Crosby, aged 36, a native of Massachusetts; both residents of Los Angeles.

COOPER-MARSTON, Spalding E. Cooper, aged 28, a native of Nebraska, and Ida Marston, aged 25, a native of Vermont; both residents of Los Angeles.

ROW-HOWSE, Albert E. Row, aged 24, a native of England, and Jeanette E. Howse, aged 25, a native of Nova Scotia; both residents of Pasadena.

FRAIJO-MARTINEZ, Benjamin Fraijo, aged 19, a native of California, and a resident of Irwindale, and Inez Martinez, aged 18, a native of California, and resident of Mt. Monte.

Funeral Notice.

Mrs. Jane Stevens, aged 40 years, mother of Mrs. Worden, 329 N. Soto st. Funeral from J. F. Richardson's Undertaking parlors, 1203 E. First st., Boyle Heights, Friday, Jan. 17, at 2 p.m.

Funeral Notice.

The funeral of William S. Goltbe will take place Saturday at 2:30 p.m. from the family residence, 429 North Soto street.

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EARLY HOUSE WITHIN NEW.

Six Sisters Dominguez Will Preserve Chapel.

Build Fine Residence Around Famed Landmark.

Historic Place to be Even More Picturesque.

A pleasing thing is about to be accomplished at the famous old Dominguez ranch, near Compton, on the trolley line to Long Beach. Work has been begun which means the grafting upon one of the oldest habitations of the early Spanish régime, a down-to-date American home, but still in keeping with the ancient Spanish mission stye of architecture.

It will be a commodious enlargement of the Dominguez home, built around the beloved old Dominguez Chapel, and while its intent is to preserve as far as possible the flavor of those rare old days, it will combine all modern comforts.

This is to be the permanent country home of the Dominguez family. It will be the place of rest and embodiment of home life for the six daughters of the lamented Don Manuel Dominguez, and will be a notable contribution by them to the attractions, distinctively Spanish-American, in Southern California.

These six sisters are Mrs. Ana Josefa D. de Guyer, Miss Guadalupe Dominguez, Mrs. Dolores D. de Watson, Mrs. Victoria Carson, Mrs. Gregoria del Armo and Mrs. Reyes D. de Francis.

The residence will cost between $18,000 and $25,000. The plans have been prepared by an old-time architect of this city, George Riccard, who is well versed in the customs and traditions of the early days of California, and he has made use of every detail possible to conform with the ideas prevailing at the time of the building of the original Dominguez hacienda.

OLD CHAPEL IN FRONT.

The new residence will include within its frontage the old chapel. This chapel has been a special pride to the family for years. The privilege of having mass celebrated in his own home was granted Don Manuel by Pope Pius IX in recognition of special services rendered the church in Southern California. One of the center rooms of the residence was fitted up for the chapel, and there Bishop Mora, then of the diocese of Monterey, performed the rites of his office.

Bishop Mora brought from Barcelona, Spain, a beautiful painting of St. Peter, which he placed in the chapel, and which still adorns its walls. He also presented to Don Manuel a beautiful statue of the Blessed Virgin, and it stands today in its glass case beside the altar. A painting by Michael Angelo of St. Vincent was presented by a priest who offered the sacrifice of the mass at this altar. Another famous painting in the little chapel is the Immaculate Conception, by Murillo, brought by Bishop Amat from Spain.

After the death of Don Manuel and Doña Gracia, the chamber in which they died was converted into a chapel, and the precious gifts were transferred to this room, so full of tender memories. It is this quaint little chapel which is to have the place of honor in the plans fo rthe rebuilding of the Dominguez residence.

The house, while remaining a one-story structure, in accordance with the Spanish-American style, will be imposing. It will have a frontage of 216 feet, facing the Pacific Electric Railway, and its depth will be 86 feet. There will be wings at either end, forming the sides of a court, which will be a part of a general scheme for landscape gardening to reach clear to the station of the trolley line.

One of these wings will be utilized for a suite of apartments for Dr. and Mrs. Del Armo. Adjoining will be the apartments of Mrs. Francis, and adjoining these will be the suite for Miss Dominguez.

Then comes the chapel, and on the opposite side are to be suites of rooms for the other sisters, an ample dining-room, kitchen, pantry, baths, etc.

Clear around the three sides formed by the main body and wings of the house are to be series of mission-style arches, the front of a deep-shadowy porch. There will also be a long porch at the rear.

In the very center of the frontage will be erected a low archway, in which will be swung a bell to call the faithful to worship in the little chapel beneath. This chapel will be lighted by a round window set with rich-colored cathedral glass.

The interior of the chapel will have a twelve-foot high ceiling, and this will be remodeled so that it will be arched in form. This interior will be richly embellished.

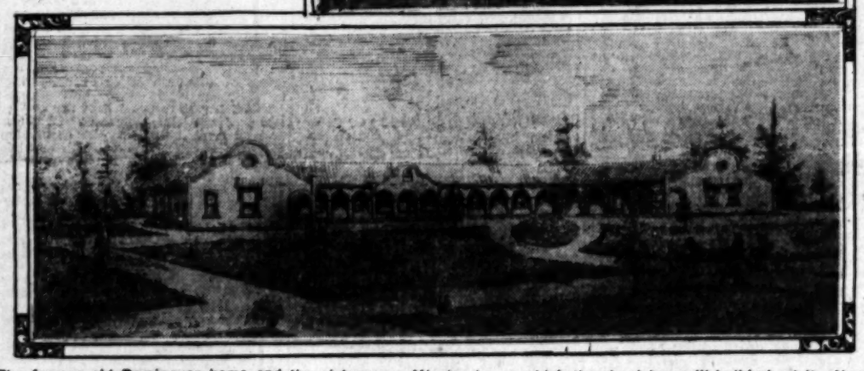
IT IS HISTORIC.

The Dominguez ranch is a part of the original Rancho San Pedro, which was first granted to Don Cristobal Dominguez, who came from the province of Burgos, Spain, and was a Spanish army officer. His acts of bravery were rewarded by this grant, which included San Pedro, Rattlesnake Island, Redondo, Gardena, Compton, Broadacres and other sections in that vicinity, amounting probably to 50,000 acres.

Of this original rancho Don Manuel held possession of 25,000 acres, and much of this is now owned by the six daughters. Don Manuel was a native of California, as was also his wife, Doña Gracia Cota, whose father, Don Guillermo Cota, owned all of the Alamitos Rancho, now the property of the Bixbys.

Don Manuel died in 1882, at the age of 79, and his wife died in 1883, aged 76. The daughters have carefully guarded the old Dominguez homestead, and it has long been a spot of great interest to local people and tourists, because of its particularly Californian environment and atmosphere.

The changes the daughters of Don Manuel are making, it is believed, will add still further charm to the old place, and will also make it a permanent headquarters for the accumulation of mementoes and relics of the early days of one of the most notable haciendas in Southern California.



The famous old Dominguez home and the picturesque Mission house which the six sisters will build about it. New residence designed by George Riccard.

STEEL TOWER SKYSCRAPER.

LARGEST OF GAS TANKS IS BEING BUILT HERE.

Will Stand at Seventh and Alameda Street, Hold Five Million Cubic Feet, and Reach Thirty-five Feet Above the Twelve-story Braly Building.

Prosaic in its intended use, but notable in its structure and great bulk, will be the highest landmark to be reared in this city. It will be the new gas receiver of the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company, and the largest in the United States.

Heretofore the Braly Building has been pointed out as the highest local structure, and its striking figure has shown up prominently against the skyline from nearly every part of the city. But the giant steel framework of the mammoth gas receiver will stand far above the top of the twelve-story block at Fourth and Spring streets; and as the immense tank rises towards the top of this girding of steel it will also make a striking figure in the southeastern part of the city.

It will reach a height of 210 feet, and will hold 5,000,000 cubic feet of gas. It will stand at Seventh and Alameda streets.

Work has begun on the great concrete foundation by Carl Leonardt, and it is to be completed within thirty days. It is 210 feet in diameter, and averages two feet in thickness. The placing of this mass of concrete will be one of the most rapid pieces of work of the kind ever carried through here. The foundation alone costs $18,000.

And this is simply the base of the structure. The high-reaching standards of steel which will form the skeleton frame around the great tank will require many tons of material, and it is estimated that it will take fully nine months to complete this work and erect the tank.

While this company now has large tankage in the vicinity of Aliso street and the Los Angeles River, there will be no comparison to the new structure. This is a striking example of the growth of the city; as the gas company's business has expanded until the increased storage capacity is a necessity.

TO BUILD NEW RAILROAD.

Los Angeles Capital Invested in Important Transportation Project in Oregon Metropolis.

W. D. Larabee, formerly superintendent of the Hook street railway lines (the old Traction system) in this city, has interested Los Angeles capital in an important railroad project in Northern Oregon. Articles of incorporation of what is to be known as the United Railways Company were filed in Portland yesterday, among the incorporators being Mr. Larabee and M. H. French and J. W. Evans of Los Angeles. The capitalization of the company is $5,000,000.

The corporation will build a railroad from Portland to Peak, in Washington county, Oregon, which will be so constructed that it can be operated by either electricity or steam, or both. It is the intenelon of the company to lay a network of tracks in the business center of Portland, in order to give its patrons access to all the principal points of the downtown districts while at the same time they will be able to reach the main transfer points of the Portland Railway Company and of the Oregon Water Power and Railway Company.

ITALIAN PRIEST ILL.

Friends of Rev. Mr. Piacentini, who began the special church work among the Italians of this city, and was afterward stationed as pastor of the Church of San Pietro, on San Fernando street, will be sorry to learn that this priest is still confined to the Sisters' Hospital, suffering from a severe cold, bordering on pneumonia. Rev. Mr. Peterek, an Italian priest from Chicago, is taking his place at San Pietro.

MANY "BUGS" IN THE MILK.

Twice Number Law Allows from Some Dairies.

Health Board Again Shakes up the Peddlers.

Mayor Would Cancel the Permits of the Offenders.

Seven dairies, delivering in the aggregate more than four thousand gallons of milk daily to city consumers, were last night warned by the health board that they must materially improve the quality of their milk within the next fortnight, under penalty of losing their permits.

Mayor McAleer was in favor of canceling the permits on the showing made last night, but the other commissioners counseled moderation.

City Bacteriologist Leonard reported that each of these seven dairies is delivering milk that does not even come close to the standard of purity set by the commission.

Yet six weeks ago, when the milk crusade was at its height, tests of the output of these dairies showed that the milk was even better than the board's bacteriological standard. The sudden falling from grace was too much for the commissioners. Equally remarkable is the fact that during the last two weeks the bacteriologist has made tests of the output of just eight dairies, and seven of these are flagrantly violating the pure-milk standard.

TOO MANY "BUGS."

The maximum number of colonies of bacteria permitted in milk by the health board standard is 500,000 per cubic centimeter. Here is the report on dairies now under the ban:

Belle Vernon dairy, 1,010,000 colonies; Purity, 1,080,000; H. H. Buchanan, 860,000; Natick House, 1,260,000; Gilt Edge, 4,300,000; Glen Holly, 1,850,000; Woolands (?) 2,530,000.

In each instance samples were taken from the milk wagons while the milk was being delivered to city customers.

Mayor McAleer was in favor of canceling the milk permits. He expressed the opinion that some of the dairymen are simply toying with the board.

"Those bugs are wonderful breeders," said Health Officer Powers; "give the milk the proper temperature and in two minutes there will be three bugs where there were but two before."

The board instructed Dr. Powers to notify the inspectors to secure other tests of the milk from these seven proscribed dairies before the next meeting of the board; also to notify the owners of the dairies that if the next tests do not show less than 500,000 colonies of bacteria the milk permits will be canceled.

AFTER MISS TILTON.

It was fortunate for Miss Ida B. Tilton that she did not attend last night's session of the health board in person, instead of sending a proxy. Two weeks ago the health board suspended her milk permit. Last night one of her milkers appeared before the board and asked to get the permit back. He said Miss Tilton has been delivering milk to her customers the same as if the permit had not been revoked.

"Here we are paying high salaries to inspectors to enforce the law," said the Mayor, "and they appear to pay no attention to it. That woman has been given three chances by this board to clean up. She knows what the law is and she is simply dallying with us. She should have been arrested the next morning."

Dr. Powers meekly admitted that this was all true.

"It is the first time," he said, "that I have known she is violating the ordinances. I thought she stopped selling when her permit was suspended."

Miss Tilton's dairy is outside the city limits. The health inspectors cannot go out there after her, but they can arrest her if they catch her inside the coporate limits with the contraband milk in her possession. She operates a dairy at East Vernon and Hawthorne streets.

The San Francisco health board has reversed itself on "liquozone." Last night Clerk McGill read a letter from Haelth Officer Reagan of the northern metropolis to the effect that the San Francisco chemist made a mistake; that there isn't any formaline in liquozone; that the board has rescinded its "poison" order, and that the mixture is again in good standing with the San Francisco health board.

Commissioner Manning picked up the communication and sniffed significantly.

"That isn't a doctor's letter," he said, "it is a lawyer's. It reads more like Abe Ruef."

"Politics," remarked another member of the commission.

Then the board referred the communication to the City Attorney. Several weeks ago the local board ordered the poison label placed on all liquozone offered for sale here.

City Chemist Miller took a whack at the surface water in the Los Angeles River, north of Elysian Park. He reported on tests of six samples of water, four from the underground flow and two taken from the river in or near the Lankershim ranch.

"I find the sample taken from the river inside the boundaries of the Lankershim ranch is highly contaminated with animal products," he said. "I consider it unsafe for domestic use."

The samples taken from the underground flow show that the water in the tunnels is exceptionally pure. It is only the surface water, where the river is made a cattle run, that is contaminated.

LOS ANGELES GIRL IN THIEVES' ISLAND.

WITH a tint of tan in her fair cheeks and—'tis whispered, though she admits it not—a navy troth as trophy, Miss Ethel J. Keyes, daughter of County Clerk Keyes, returned Wednesday night from an eight-months trip to the faraway island of Guam, whither she was chaperoned by her aunt, Mrs. L. A. McMillan of San Francisco, and where they were the feted guests of Past Assistant Paymaster E. A. McMillan, who combines with the most of the general storemastership of Guam the distinction of being Mrs. McMillan's son and the good fortune of claiming Miss Keyes for cousin.

No, no more about the troth. Miss Keyes has said, in answer to the frank question, "Is it true that you have come home from Guam engaged?" "I must positively decline to reply." So you see.

It was such a trip and under such circumstances as any American girl would dearly love to take. Miss Keyes left Los Angeles May 8, 1905, and with her aunt sailed on the navy transport Solace from San Francisco May 15. They had a delightful passage out, stopping four days at Honolulu and reaching Piti (pronounced Petie,) the port for Agaña, the naval headquarters for Guam, June 18.

Now Guam, though the largest island of the Ladrones (thieves) islands, with a surface of 200 square miles and a population of 10,000 natives, is only so large as an ordinary black pinhead on the map of the world. It lies 1400 miles east by south of Manila, and barring some mosquitos and a handful of hotness in the middle of the day, owns a climate envied of men.

WHO'S WHO IN GUAM.

Agaña, the capital of Guam, is five miles inland. There the American colony lives and the dignity of the American government is upheld. Just now Lieut. MacNomee, U.S.N., is acting Governor of Guam, Gov. Dyer having been ordered home and his successor not having yet loomed on the West Pacific horizon. Those who help Lieut. and Mrs. MacNomee and Paymaster McMillan to constitute the civilized population of Agaña were found by Miss Keyes to be Lieut. Douglas, aide to the Governor, and Mrs. Douglas; Lieut. Sweet, in charge of wireless telegraph experiments, and his sister, Miss Sweet; Dr. Bagg, senior surgeon, and Mrs. Bagg; Dr. Mink, junior surgeon; Dr. and Mrs. McLain; Lieut. South, acting commandant of the marine station, and Mrs. South, and Lieut. Willis and Lieut. Barker, of the marine service.

Since the homebound departure of the daughter of the Clerk of Los Angeles County the only unmarried white woman in all the island of Guam is Miss Sweet. Only fancy! Now which two of those three wifeless officers in Guam do you suppose—but hush!

All sorts of jolly times had the two visiting California ladies in the native-infested region of Agaña; picnics on the beach by moonlight, amateur dramatics by the guiding grace of the Guam Dramatic Club, (A Box of Monkeys" was one of the stageland drolleries Miss Keyes and her aunt took part in;) Sunday-afternoon teas at the Governor's palace, Thursday-afternoon teas at the Service Club, and these were but the beginning.

THEY WON'T WEAR CLOTHES.

September 1 descended the great typhoon that swept the Philippine Archipelago. Guam was not bothered by the wreaker, but the German Island of Saipan, one of the Ladrones, was more or less twisted up, and news of the destruction there reached the American colony at Agaña four days later through the master of a Japanese ship. It was decided at once to proffer help by the government supply ship stationed at Guam, and of the party who boarded the vessel for the sake of the sightseeing Mrs. McMillan and Miss Keyes made two. They started from Piti on a Sunday and got back the following Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Ethel J. Keyes, who has just returned from an eight-months' trip to Guam.

"The population of Saipan," says Miss Keyes, "consists of a few Germans and unlimited natives. There is only one white woman on the island. Many of the denizens of Saipan are North Carolina islanders, who, you know—or maybe you don't, I didn't till somebody told me—were expelled from Guam for refusing to wear clothes. U-m, well, they're addicted to the breech clout; haven't gotten over the habit yet. It was quite too disgraceful, you see, to allow such heathen to remain in Guam, so to Saipan they went. Whole forests of them swarmed down to the beach to inspect us. They waded into the breakers to get first look when our small boat put off from the ship to land. The typoon had done a lot of damage on the island."

November 28 Miss Keyes and her aunt left Guam on the homeward trip. They called at Manila December 2, and paid that famous archipelago city a ten-days visit. There they found a gay life, strikingly in contrast with their quiet-time memories of Guam. Army and navy society, with a fair sprinkling of civilianism, hummed in brilliant feathers. They visited Bilibid Prison, with its 3000 unwilling inmates—one of the largest jails in the world.

SHOPPING IN NAGASAKI.

Leaving Manila December 15, Nagasaki was reached six days later. There six of the ship's passengers went ashore and hired themselves as many rickshaws—for one yen, 50 cents, apiece the day. They shopped for hours through the quaint bazaars of that beautiful city, and at noon were jigjogged to a tea garden for refreshments. "Ah, but we nearly froze in Nagasaki!" shudders Miss Keyes. But that didn't prevent the buying of some lovely Satsuma vases and things, wondrously painted and kilned, and inlaid with beaten brass and la7890 tracery—one piece she showed at her home last night cost the ridiculous sum of $5! Also there came home with her quite the most beautiful kimona you ever saw—a pale blue crepe delight, paneled with winky-eyed storks and lined with snowy silk; the sort of affair that girls would refer to as "a dream."

The moonlight of the tropics, so real you seem to feel it falling through the silence, so softly bright that you may read casually by it on a vessel's deck; the splendidly roaded highways of Guam, fit for an American to bike on or a king to drive over; the large and cheerful mosquitos of the mango margins; the breadfruit trees and banana clumps; the lingering twilights and the pastel sunsets of the Southern seas, these and the harbor of Nagasaki, with its sky-line bluffs, its green terraces verdured with rice-paddies, its many-colored shore life and its many-masted shipping, were the sights and scenes that will linger longest in the memory of the California girl—perhaps.

The United States Army transport Sherman landed Miss Keyes and her aunt at San Francisco January 14, after five weeks of rough voyaging that included a storm out of Nagasaki, another near the home port and a Christmas dinner and a New Year's dance on shipboard.

COMING ALONE TO WED.

Miss Nettie Knight, St. Louis School-Teacher, on Her Way Hither to Marry Robert Copenhaver.

One of the favorite teachers of the public schools of St. Louis is on her way to Los Angeles to become a bride. She is Miss Nettie Knight, and the man who is to become her husband is Robert Copenhaver of this city. They met while she was here on a visit three years ago.

Miss Knight is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Knight of No. 7311 Pennsylvania avenue, St. Louis.

A merry party of friends accompanied the young woman to the Union Depot in the Missouri city on her departure, and she is making the journey alone.

The wedding is to take place here on the 23d inst., and the young couple will reside in Los Angeles.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Since the Council order for retrenchment went into effect a month ago the bill for city supplies has been cut in half.

The street and police departments and the Vaughan family were yesterday mixed up in a dam row on Hobart boulevard.

Complaints against sewage-irrigated vegetables are multiplying at the City Hall, but the Council and health department are able to offer no hope for immediate relief; they say we must wait until the new outfall is completed.

The scandal that has overhung the staid little burg of Monrovia some time, lifted somewhat yesterday, when the suit of Edwin K. Cutter against his wife, Mrs. May Dabney Cutter, to recover possession of his property, went to trial before Judge Bordwell.

One of the jurors in the Helm murder trial became ill yesterday afternoon and court had to adjourn. The arguments will be resumed this morning and the case will go to the jury today.

A Japanese blind-pig keeper pleaded guilty yesterday to selling liquor without a license and was fined $150. His white accomplice asked for time to plead.

James O'Malley, the Ascot tout caught picking pockets at the prize fight two weeks ago, made a full confession yesterday, implicating his companion, George Hines. Hines still denies the charge.

Assistant City Prosecutor Frederickson yesterday afternoon sent notices to fourteen local corporations, including the city and county of Los Angeles, that all poles and overhead wires must be removed "forthwith," from the conduit district.

AT THE CITY HALL.

GLEAM OF HOPE AT CITY HALL.

DEPARTMENTS ARE NOW KEEPING WITHIN APPROPRIATION.

Retrenchment Order Cuts Bill for Supplies in Half—All Outside Appeals for City Funds Denied by the Finance Committee—Drastic Measures to Avoid a Deficit.

Retrenchment has ceased to be a byword at the City Hall. The Council order is in force with all its rites and rituals.

For the month of December the aggregate department bills for supplies purchased on requisition are less than one-half what they were for July. In supplies alone a saving of about $5000 a month is effected.

At the present time the street department is the only one exceeding its appropriation, and the excess there is less than half what it was three months ago. The Council finds that it is necessary to keep a large force of laborers on hand during the rainy season to lend immediate aid wherever breaks occur in streets or sewers. In this way the immediate outlay of $25 saves at least $200 at a later day. The streets are reported to be suffering less this year from storm water than ever before.

Naturally there is grumbling from place men over the short rations issued by the Council. They feel that their rights are being invaded. But the department heads themselves have taken to heart the Council's warning and every one of them is striving to make a better record financially than his neighbor.

Chairman Smith of the Finance Committee has practically laid aside his private business for three months to keep in closer touch with the financial management of the government.

He has staked his reputation against that of the experts of the Municipal League, who have declared that the city cannot pull through the year without a substantial deficit.

Mr. Smith yesterday afternoon reported that the departments are a little more than holding their own. "If we can keep this lick up," he said, "we shall have enough left on July 1 to give us a fair start on the next year."

PRAISE FOR PARK BOARD.

"To them that hath more shall be given" received a beautiful exemplification yesterday at the meeting of the Finance Committee. Before the committee for consideration was a communication from the Mayor notifying the Council that the Park Board has no available funds with which to pay for the ornamental lighting system about Central Park. The bill is for $1725 and yesterday the assessment became delinquent.

The Park Board is the only one of the Mayor's commissions that has kept its expenses within the budget estimate. The Finance Committee decided that such thrift should receive suitable recognition from the Council, recommending that the assessment be paid from the general fund.

No funds is the reason assigned by the Finance Committee for declining to act on the recommendation of the Church Federation that public comfort stations be established in suitable localities in the down-town district.

MORAL SUPPORT ONLY.

Los Angeles will lend its moral support this year to the Oiled Roads Defense Committee in its effort to keep the right to use oil on streets and roads from passing into the hands of a corporation as a patent right.

The secretary of this committee has written to the Council asking for financial support as well. It appears that there is a deficit in the oiled roads defense fund, and the committee feels that Los Angeles should come through with enough to place the defense on a paying basis again.

Dist.-Atty. Fredericks, Mayor McAleer and Street Superintendent Hanley sent communications to the Council recommending that the city pay something on the bills.

The suits are decided and the municipalities have won. But the Finance Committee holds that charity begins at home, and that we must take care of our own deficit before going beyond our boundaries. The committee's recommendation is that the communications be filed. This is tantamount to a rejection. It is possible, however, that they may be taken up anew after the first of the next fiscal year.

DAM ROW.

DEPUTY GETS WATER CURE.

Capt. A. H. White, a Civil War veteran, yesterday morning headed a storming party composed of street employés and policemen that demolished hostile embankments at Tenth street and Hobart boulevard and sent the waters of Westlake slough singing on their way to the sea.

Mrs. T. R. Vaughn, ably supported by her male consort, a pitchfork and a garden hose, made a brilliant but ineffective attempt to stand off both the street and police departments.

The result was a pitched battle on the banks of the Westlake slough. There the Vaughns had built a twenty-foot dam across the watercourse turning all the storm water into the street. Acting under the advice of the City Attorney, Street Superintendent Hanley sent a force of men to tear the embankment away.

The preliminary skirmish took place on Thursday afternoon. Deputy Laws of the street department went to the Vaughn residence to notify the owner that the dam must come down.

The Vaughns had dammed the waterway and the result was a dam row.

Mme. Vaughn told him she would shoot the first man that stuck a pick or spade into the embankment. She challenged Laws to try it right then and there. But Laws fell back to the City Hall and there awaited reinforcements. Elated over this preliminary victory, Mme. Vaughn went down to the street department office and there left word that when Laws returned he had better bring an undertaker along.

All of which was duly reported to the Street Superintendent. He called on Chief Auble for an auxiliary corps of police and placed Capt. White in charge of the street department forces.

Lieut.-Col. Schreiber of the First Brigade, National Guard, accompanied the party as military attaché on the staff of Capt. White.

The police corps was composed of Officers Shand and Roller. The hostile dam was built on the Vaughn property right at the back door of the family residence.

The police force made the first reconnoiter, securing admission before Mme. Vaughn knew the object of their visit.

Officer Shand said they were there to protect the street department force at all hazards. Capt. White marched at the head of the street department pick-and-shovel company.

Mme. Vaughn had evidently been posting herself on the later Philippine campaigns, as her first attack was an attempt to treat Deputy Laws to the water cure. Her consort stood by giving his moral support.

Laws ducked the hose and madame ducked Laws. Then the police came to the rescue.

Mme. Vaughn retreated to the cow shed, but advanced again, this time armed with a pitchfork. She said she would give that nasty deputy a realistic imitation of what it meant to be stuck-up. Laws executed a rapid movement to the rear. Capt. White made a demonstration on the right wing to attract the enemy's attention, and Officer Roller sneaked around in the back and captured the pitchfork.

Then Laws sent word that if the defenders did not retire he would lick the socks off the male consort. This caused a desertion in the Vaughan ranks, followed by a retreat into the family castle.

Mme. Vaughan telephoned to the "Recky" for reinforcements, but before the photographers arrived the attacking party had demolished the dam, and taken a street car back to the city.

Later in the day Mme. Vaughan went to police headquarters and complained that Capt. White had disarranged the collar of her mother hubbard, thereby causing her male escort great mental anguish.

The trouble was occasioned by the damming up of Westlake slough by the Vaughans. They have petitioned the Council to pipe the slough at the city's expense across their lands. This the Council declines to do.

Both the Council and the City Attorney instructed the street department to demolish the Vaughan dam, the City Attorney ruling that they have no right to block a natural waterway to the injury of adjoining property.

SEWAGE IRRIGATION.

PROTESTS AVAIL NOTHING.

Sewage-nurtured vegetables continue to find their way to the city market, despite the efforts of the health department to keep such as are served without cooking from being offered here for sale.

Strawberries, celery, lettuce, radishes, tomatoes, onions—all these edibles are grown in market gardens southwest of the city, watered by sewage. This is the only method of irrigation.

Health Officer Powers has twice during the present administration asked the Council to forbid the further sale of sewage to market gardeners. This request has been augmented by protests from the health board and from the Board of Supervisors, but all to no avail.

Health inspectors report that acres of vegetables, chiefly tomatoes, lettuce and onions, are raised in sewage-watered gardens, and later find their way to the table of the urban consumer.

A city ordinance prohibits the sale of sewage vegetables, but its enforcement remains a dead letter so long as the city sells to the market gardeners sewage for use on their gardens.

Councilmen say that the engineer has reported that the outfall sewer is not large enough to carry all the sewage to the ocean, and that the surplus must either be sold, or more properly given away, or allowed to run in streets and ditches.

The contracts for the sale of sewage have about all expired. At one time the market gardeners competed for the surplus water, but since they have learned that the city cannot carry it away, they have assumed a receptive attitude; if the city will turn the sewage into their ditches they will accept it.

About 250 inches of sewage water is diverted from the San Pedro-street sewer into the ditches of the Reedy and Cudahy ranches; a portion of the waste water finds its way to other localities.

The only thing the city receives for the use of this water is that it is taken off the city's hands. At one time about a year and a half ago the city stopped diverting this water into the Reedy and Cudahy ranches. Two weeks later the Council compromised with two ranchers for damages, occasioned by sewer water, paying each several hundred dollars.

Present prospects are that the vegetables will continue to be nurtured by sewage filth until the new outfall to the ocean is completed.

The vegetable season just closing was so profitable that the acreage for the next crop has been considerably increased. The health inspectors will continue to patrol the affected district, but they admit that they can do little to improve conditions.

Health commissioners assert that the city is taking chances on an epidemic of typhoid fever by making it possible for vegetables to be raised on sewage filth and sold to be used raw on the urban table.

"FORTHWITH" THE ORDER.

POLES MUST COME DOWN.

"Forthwith" is the time limit given by the City Prosecutor to fourteen local corporations, including the city and the county of Los Angeles, for removing obstructing poles and overhead wires from the conduit district.

The street railways are not included, trolley poles and wires being excepted in the conduit ordinance.

Following an executive conference with the City Attorney, Assistant City Prosecutor Frederickson yesterday afternoon sent notices to the following corporations to remove poles and overhead wires from the conduit district:

County of Los Angeles, city of Los Angeles, Sunset Telephone and Telegraph Company, Home Telephone and Telegraph Company, Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company, Edison Electric Company, Los Angeles District Messenger Company, California District Messenger Service, Independent District Messenger Service, American District Messenger Service, Western Union Telegraph Company, Postal Telegraph and Cable Company, Woodbury Business College, Brobe Electric Company.

In many cases the violations are not material ones, but the City Attorney decided to notify them all in order that there might be no opportunity to make a charge of favoritism.

Both the city and the county maintain overhead telegraph wires inside the proscribed district.

In the cases of the telephone companies it will require several weeks to place all the wires underground. This is the first attempt that has been made to enforce the conduit ordinance, and it is possible that the Council may suspend its operations for a fortnight to enable all companies to make the requisite changes.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

CUTTER TANGLE IN THE COURTS.

MONROVIA SCANDAL IS BEING THRASHED OUT ANEW.

Fighting Over Deed to Practically All His Property, Now Held by His Wife, the Husband Repudiates the Instrument, While She Maintains He Made It in Good Faith.

As soberly gowned in solemn black as a nun, and as demure as a little Quaker, Mrs. May Dabney Cutter sat by the side of her counsel yesterday and cast eyes at Edwin Kendall Cutter, her husband, who returned from the East on Wednesday for the purpose of combating her claim to an odd $150,000 or so.

In practical effect this is all the money Cutter possesses, but his wife claims it under a deed of gift. He repudiates the gift, and boldly alleges that Mrs. Cutter took the deed made in contemplation of death and placed it on record.

The discovery of what wifey had done came as an aftermath to sundry exciting episodes at Monrovia, when Cutter and his wife played hide and seek, and some unknown bit of femininity escaped Mrs. Cutter's gaze by scaling down the water pipe from an upper chamber, and made her escape in severe dishabille. Since then husband and wife have been bobbing in and out of court on the slightest pretext, and have varied the monotony by looking daggers in court, and then going outside to bill and coo.

Cutter is quite a young man—and a clever one, despite his vagaries. As a professor of literature at Columbia College he won some reputation. He speaks several languages, and is a Persian scholar of ability, besides being a poet. He comes of a family of prominence at Washington, members of which have shone in the United States Army, and also in Congress.

Mrs. Cutter also belonged to the fashionable throng of Washington at the time of her marriage, her own immediate connections being naval men for the most part. Beautiful of face and figure, she was one of the belles of the capital when Cutter carried her away as his bride. Both were on the witness stand in Judge Bordwell's court yesterday.

The deed Cutter brought suit to have canceled was made about December 24, 1904, at Monrovia, and was placed in Cutter's safe-deposit box at the Granite Bank, in that city. On April 1, 1905, Mrs. Cutter went to the bank, gained access to the box and removed the deed, and had it placed on record, then returning it to the safety-deposit box.

The husband's contention is that the deed of all his property to his wife was made at a time when he was quite ill and feared he would die.

Mrs. Cutter, on the other hand, contends that her husband was just aching to make over everything to her; that whenever with her alone he talked about his fears of death and—blackmail—and begged her to relieve him of the burden of his wealth, so that she might dole out his monthly stipend and look out for him.

Capt. Steadman, F. M. Hawes, C. O. Monroe—all officers or ex-officers of the Granite Bank, told of husband and wife visiting the bank, of the husband placing the deed in his box, and also of her taking it out and replacing it. C. E. Slauson, the notary public, and A. F. Miller, City Marshal of Monrovia, also testified.

"I didn't learn of the deed having been withdrawn until April 1," said Cutter, on the stand. "It was a friend of mine—a man named Mengy, told me of the fact, and when I went to look in the box it was not there. I had two keys to the box and one I had given to Mengy to keep, so that I wouldn't lose both if I carried them, as I had done before. Mrs. Cutter never had possession of either of the keys, and it was from Mengy that she obtained the key."

Incidentally, it developed that Cutter had made a will some time before making the deed, and in this instrument also he had left all of his property to his wife.

Frank James, counsel for Mrs. Cutter, sought to probe into the secrets of the Monrovia home.

"Didn't you have some domestic infelicities prior to December 31?" he asked.

"Well, I wouldn't call them infelicities," was the answer.

Cutter maintained that he and his wife were on the best of terms prior to December 31.

"Hadn't you an affair with another woman?" was the next question, to which the witness answered in the affirmative.

"Did it involve you in any difficulty—a threatening of litigation and blackmail?"

"Not at all," and Cutter laughed.

After her husband retired from the stand, Mrs. Cutter said Cutter and she had often talked of his transferring his property to her. He was afraid, she said, that he would run through it as he had done with other moneys.

"Did he do anything for a living?" inquired Mr. James.

"No," was the reply; "he did nothing but drink and read."

The witness said her husband had not been on good terms with his sister, Mrs. Chester. Mrs. Chester, with her husband, Lieut. A. T. Chester, came from the East with Cutter, and both were in court.

Mrs. Cutter said her husband had driven to the Nadeau Hotel with a woman in an automobile and there registered as "Mr. and Mrs. Cutter." From this she thought his suspicions regarding blackmail might be true, and she made up her mind that she would have the deed of gift recorded, as he had so often desired as a precautionary measure.

In court with Mrs. Cutter were a number of friends, including Mrs. R. Storrs and her husband. Mrs. Storrs is Mrs. Cutter's younger sister. Each testified, their evidence bearing upon conversations they had heard and remarks made by Cutter as indicating his intentions with regard to making over his property.

BOWSER'S TWO MATES.

BOTH NOW GONE FROM WIFE.

John W. Bowser used to know "Jack" Rice when he worked down at Compton, and admired his buxom wife. Rice's real prefix was Alonzo Washington, but that was a trifle too aristocratic for him, and he cut it short to plain everyday "Jack." He had married in December, 1891, but soon left his wife to hustle for herself.

Some years later John W. Bowser thought it would be a good idea to try to win the widow Rice—for news had come that Jack had crossed the divide. His suit was favored, and on March 31, 1898, Mrs. Rice became Mrs. Martha E. Rice-Bowser. Everything went along very well until October, 1901, when Bowser received a letter from the man he had supposed was dead. Jack Rice wrote to him telling him a few things, and among others that he never intended to disturb him in his married happiness.

Bowser had separated from his wife eight months before receiving that letter, and he saw an opportunity to secure freedom without a divorce suit. After a time he went to the north, met Rice, and soon thereafter began action in the courts for annulment of marriage. He won the case yesterday, the court holding that his marriage was no marriage at all. He is therefore free to marry again if he desires without waiting a year, as the law provides, in divorce cases.

REALTY MIX.

SUIT FOR VALUABLE LOT.

Because Hill-street property jumped by leaps and bounds there is a bit of litigation going on in Judge York's court that is complicated beyond measure. It arose out of a contract entered into by Julius R. and George N. Black, carrying on business as Black Bros., with the Harrison Home Company, to purchase the property at Seventeenth and Hill streets. The Harrison Company was made up of the father and mother, son and daughter, and an uncle of Pasadena. The father and daughter died, and Mrs. Harrison is practically the whole company.

Judge York.

Black Bros. entered into the contract to purchase the property on Hill street on June 17, their representative being one H. R. Higgins. The price agreed upon was $12,625. It is claimed the amount was deposited with the Title Insurance and Trust Company, but on the 30th of the month the Harrison company refused to convey. From July 1 to the date when suit was begun it is alleged that the property had enhanced in value so as to be worth $18,000, and the plaintiffs urge a claim for the difference, $4375.

After this action had been begun Ed G. Hookstratten and I. Klingenstein came into the case as intervenors, claiming that they, too, had an interest in the property. They aver that on June 16—just one day before the Black contract—they entered into a contract with the Harrison company for the purchase of that same property.

Between these two claimants all kinds of intricate points of law are interposing. Though the suit has continued for two days, there is no telling when it will close. The property is now said to be worth about $30,000.

JUROR BECOMES ILL.

MURDER TRIAL SUSPENDED.

The trial of David M. Helm for the murder of a Japanese fruit picker at Pomona was suspended yesterday afternoon owing to the sudden illness of Mr. Miller, one of the jurors. It is thought, however, that he will be in his place this morning.

H. T. Gage occupied the whole of the time yesterday in arguing the case to the jury, and confined himself more particularly to the legal aspects of the case—the technical right of the defendant to protect his orchard against the depredations of those who would rob him of the fruits of his labor. Today Will Harris will follow and is expected to make such an address as will pack the courtroom. Then Maj. Donnell will close for the prosecution, and the case will go to the jury.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

MORE OIL LAND. The Queresma Land Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $50,000, of which $5 has been subscribed. The directors are Frank A. Garbutt, D. L. Clampitt, S. C. Hall, L. C. Reed, Los Angeles, and J. W. Squires, Santa Maria.

DESERTED HIS FAMILY. Tillie Dunn was yesterday granted a divorce from Harry Dunn by Judge Trask, on the ground of desertion. The parties were married in South Dakota sixteen years ago. Five years ago while living at Alliance, Neb., the husband deserted his home and went to Alaska.

LAND DEVELOPMENT. The San Miguel Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $1,000,000, of which $2500 has been subscribed. The directors are J. H. Adams, T. W. Phillips, J. S. Torrance, J. R. Martin, Los Angeles, and W. R. Staats, Pasadena.

SENT TO PATTON. Virginia C. Simmons, a young woman, was yesterday ordered committed to the State Hospital at Patton by Judge Gibbs. She is of weak mind, and lately has wandered around and been incapable of restraint.

ELECTRIC SUPPLIES. The H. G. Aylesworth Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $15,000, of which $2500 has been subscribed. The directors are H. G., L. M., G. W., M. E. and C. E. Aylesworth, all of Los Angeles.

HUSBAND SKIPPED OUT. Clara M. Wilkins was granted a divorce from James Wilkins by Judge Trask yesterday on the ground of desertion. The parties were married at Rockford, Wash., twenty-two years ago, and in 1893 he deserted his home

CUT FOURTH STREET HILL TO FLOWER?

IT IS possible that the downtown business district may be increased by the addition of fully 2000 feet of business frontage of West Fourth street, between Hill and Flower streets, now considered a residence and rooming-house proposition.

This is the very latest scheme of the Fourth Street Tunnel Association, and it may replace the tunnel plans for which the association has been exerting itself.

This plan is, instead of tunneling through the hill from Hill street to Flower, to cut Fourth street right through, and also to cut down to street level property to a distance of about 100 feet on each side of the street.

This, it is claimed, would make this street a commercial thoroughfare all the way to Flower street, giving 2000 feet of close-in business property that would increase enormously in valuation.

The plan provides for bridging this deep cut at the intersection of the streets on the top of the hill—Grand avenue, Bunker Hill avenue and Hope street, so that there would be no inconvenience caused hill dwellers by the cut.

Another plan for the improvement of Fourth street is to have constructed a wide tunnel, the full width of the street, sixty feet.

This has been petitioned for, and the matter is now before the Board of Public Works. Today a special committee will go before this board with the new plan, and will ask that either the tunnel plan or the latest scheme for improvement be given attention, and that the City Engineer be authorized to make estimates on cost.

This committee will represent the Fourth Street Tunnel Association, composed of some of the most extensive property owners in that section. The committee is Mrs. M. E. Stoddard, Mrs. Snyder, Arthur Letts, Z. L. Parmelee, John A. Rice and H. W. Hellman.

A meeting of the association was held last night in the store of Z. L. Parmelee, No. 334 South Spring street, and was attended by twenty property owners, who are interested in the improvements proposed. The new plans were discussed at this meeting and were well received. Another meeting will be held in the same place next Thursday evening, when the committee's report will be discussed.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

"BLIND PIGGERS" ROUNDED UP.

JAP "MANAGER" PLEADS GUILTY AND PAYS BIG FINE.

Others Accused of Illegal Sale of Liquor in City are Placed on Trial and Cases are Continued—"Club" Members Fail to Remember Organization's Name.

It was "blind pig" day in Justice Chambers's department of the Police Court yesterday, and one of the keepers of "blind porkers" is poorer by $150. From the present outlook others will be poorer and the city richer next week.

F. H. Ward was the proprietor of one pen where the sightless porkers thrived, and he employed Frank Watanara as "manager," according to the belief of those who visited the joint.

Yesterday morning Ward and Watanara were placed on trial, charged with selling liquors without a license. The Jap immediately pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined $150, which he paid. Ward took time to plead and his case will come up later.

J. Sullivan and L. de George were on trial on a charge of selling liquor without a license in a place located on East Ninth street, between Lemon and Mateo streets.

The trial occupied the entire afternoon and was continued until Tuesday afternoon. The place is known as the "Mutual Club," but a number of the "members" who were called to the witness stand could not remember the name of the club or of ever hearing it.

T. W. Burke testified that the equipment of the club consisted of some beer, a cement floor, a pair of boxing gloves, the Examiner, a couple of beds and a table. When asked if the privileges of the club were similar to other clubs he replied: "Well, I never was in a bona fide club, so I can't exactly say."

Those who patronized the club and the managers testified that it was run on the profits made on the sale of liquors to members. They claimed that an initiation fee of 25 cents was charged and dues of 10 cents a month, but their books failed to substantiate the collection of any dues or to show that the board of directors, if there was one, had met during the time between May and November. The case will be decided Tuesday.

Burglar Bound Over.

John Green, charged with burglary, was bound over for trial in the Superior Court yesterday by Justice Austin, his bail being fixed at $1500. He will await trial in jail.

Speeding Autoist Fined.

W. S. Mooreland was fined $15 yesterday by Judge Austin for exceeding the speed limit in his automobile. He was dashing down Figueroa street when the "automobile squad" raked him in.

Pickpocket Confesses.

James O'Malley made a confession to the officers yesterday in which he admitted picking the pockets of patrons of the prize fight a week ago. He implicates George Hines in the crime. Hines is in jail, but refuses to say anything. The police think O'Malley has been mixed up with some of the biggest "jobs" ever done in this section.

A Helsingfors cable says the commission appointed by the Senate to prepare a project for the reform of the Diet has agreed to the principle of a unicameral body, the members of which will be elected by universal suffrage. Both men and women who have reached the age of 21 will have the right to vote.

HAVE YOU WEAK LUNGS?

Do You Fear Consumption?

When we take into consideration the fact that one out of every seven in this climate die of consumption, is it any wonder that it is feared by the people of Los Angeles who have weak lungs and chronic colds and coughs?

A famous London physician has for years urged his patients, when the slightest tendency to consumption appeared, to take the best cod liver preparation they could find, and physicians everywhere have recognized that the cod's liver contains curative values for coughs, colds, bronchitis, consumption and all wasting diseases unequaled in medicine, but, unfortunately, few could take and derive any benefit from old-fashioned cod liver oil and emulsions on account of the indigestible grease which they contain.

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Sure See in Him the Winner Tonight.

Kid" Backs Himself Encourages Friends.

Bout Dates Being Fixed. Football Agitation.

[BY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive.] The sale of seats for the fight tomorrow night is one of the largest crowds of pugilists will see the battle. It was lively today, much money coming into the pool-rooms at odds of 10 to 7, with Gans on top. Gans is very impatient to begin, as he declares to show what he can do at a finish. He is 135 pounds, and says this will easily get down to 133, the limit. Joe says if he can he will make things hot for lightweights who think they can show that Gans is in as good condition as he was when he fought Walcott and got the decision over Walcott and got what he landed at will on Nelson." The sports think is a good tomorrow night for Sullivan to whip Sullivan. Sullivan's camp say Sullivan is as fit as a fiddle, confident of Gans. He has put up a lot of money on himself, and is asking friends to take the

WESTERN FOOTBALL.

BE DECIDED TODAY.

[BY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The fate of football in the West will be decided at the Chicago meeting tomorrow, it is believed, when a committee of representatives of the Big Nine colleges called by President Angell of Michigan will convene for the purpose of discussing the football rules and for considering such changes as may be proposed looking to reform.

Of Michigan, the two big elevens in the West, are expected to take a chief interest of the meeting. Reforms are understood to be in favor of saving the game, by different methods. It is said that Michigan favors retaining the game, while Chicago believes it is good enough, but some of the teams need reforming. Judson, It is believed, will voice the ideas of reform of President Harper.

It is said to the meeting will be debating the game is not an experiment. It is believed followers will find much to the matter. Indiana has a strong representative will favor the game, and for Coach Sheldon said today he is in favor of such changes as will tend to make the game safer, but against changes that tended to kill or injure materially. Wisconsin, it is said, stands with Indiana practically as it is in favor of saving any changes that will play safer and an

Not been heard from, but it is said is an ardent supporter as it is played today.

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Both were again the feature of racing yesterday afternoon, favorites managed to land the first. It was hard for the beasts in the money, but they did fairly well. Puddin' Head McCarthy is getting the reputation of a jockey to bet on, threw the race by a careless ride Sir Rowland played incantation, going to the finish and letting Chimney Sweep beat him out. This was the longest shot of the day to win and it paid $20 for a victory. The finishes were close, except the third race, which Harry won easily by

Wee Lass, 105 (Knapp,) 3 to 1, won; Neatness, 112 (Radtke,) 4 to 1, second; Daruma, 112 (Bell,) 3 to 1, third; time 1:02. Mill Girl, Lady Huron, Peppermint, Miss Elizabeth, and Bonnet also ran.

Five and a half furlongs: Silver Bullet, 107 (Bell,) 4 to 1, won; Lucian, 107 (Bell,) 3 to 1, second; Wyefield, 102 (Louis,) 12 to 1, third; time 1:08¾. Gurney, El Cazador, Sir Roger, Charles Clifford, Cape Cod, Jarrell, Ed Kilter and Cutaway also ran.

Six furlongs: Gentle Harry, 102 (Bell,) 6 to 1, won; Lucian, 106 (Knapp,) 3 to 1, second; Wyefield, 102 (Louis,) 12 to 1, third; time 1:15¾. Fillo Bonita and Pearl Waterhouse scratched.

Seven furlongs: Ben Brush, 95 (Notter,) 10 to 1, won; Ben Brush, 95 (McDaniel,) 6 to 1, second; Ben Brush, 105 (Walsh,) 6 to 1, third; time 1:28. Astral II and Sir Ivan also ran. El Otros scratched.

Mile and 70 yards: Dutiful, 110 (Bell,) 4 to 1, won; Chickadee, 105 (Knapp,) 3 to 1, second; Pachuca, 100 (Louis,) 6 to 1, third; time 1:50. Rubicon, Fonso, Montefiore Wolcott also ran. Ed Damsel, Golden Bowl and Darling scratched.

Mile and one-sixteenth: Bonnie Bardie, 109 (Davis,) 3 to 1, won; Bardie, 106 (Miller,) 4 to 1, second; Bardie, 107 (Kelly,) 12 to 1, third; time 1:47½. Antara, Verbena, Evelyn Griffith and Amber also ran.

AT U.S.C.

NEXT WEEK.

The try-out that was held at U.S.C. yesterday will result next Thursday in the match of Miss Mabel Peyton, who was a member of the U. S. C. basketball team last year and captain of the team two years ago. Her funeral was at Riverside yesterday and was attended by representatives of U. S. C. It is expected that there will be twenty-five or thirty men in the class try-out.

Class basketball games will be played at U.S.C. this afternoon by the boys. They do not take to this sport very readily but it is hoped these class contests will enthuse them with the proper spirit. Coach Holmes has started classes in tumbling and wrestling and work on the bars and reports that the classes are very enthusiastic in the work.

THIS GAME'S UP TO DR. CARVER.

WHAT WILL HE DO WITH LETTER OF "LITTLE FLIES ABOVE"?

Alleged Squaw Person, Declared by Her "Girl Friends" to be "Best Lady Rider in Arizona," Would Bet Elk-Tooth Cape She Can Make White Sister Look Like Ten Cents.

Is Mary Little Flies Above a sure enough squaw, or is some gay young person of Riverside trying to have fun with Dr. Carver? Dr. Carver, that is, who has gained fame the world over as a rifle shot and is just now holding forth at Agricultural Park with a band of thoroughbred diving horses; Dr. Carver whose offer of $100 to any person who will dive forty feet on the bare back of one of them into a water tank has been taken up by Miss Lorena Lawrence, whose proposal to do the trick under a $50 forfeit posted with this paper was told of a few days ago in The Times.

Whether the screed be bona fide and the signature genuine, or the incident a funning fake, it is altogether true that The Times received yesterday the following letter for the doctor. It is up to him to take it on or spot it, as his own keen vision may prompt:

RIVERSIDE, Cal., Jan. 15, 1906.—[To the Editor of The Times, Los Angeles, Cal.:] Dear Sir: Will you please give this letter to Dr. Carver. Would you let me ride the Diving horse. I am a squaw. I was born in Arizona—And my Father is little Flies above and I am his daughter—we live on the Reservation I have been to school and can ride a little well. My girl friends tell me I am the best lady rider in Arizona. And I think I can beat the white woman riding—If you will let an indian girl ride I will come over to Los Angeles and put up my Elk tooth cape and it has one thousand and 400 Elk teeth on it, and my father little Flies above says white man give one thousand dollars for it—So I am coming and you let me ride and I make white wom look like she sell her self for ten cents. The Elk tooth I send you is more than tow hundred years old the girls say they all come over to see me ride the white horse.

There is a good bit more, and the whole outfit is signed up "Mary Little Flies Above." Along with the letter came a beaded Indian tobacco-pouch, in the toe of it a tooth of some sort with a bit of the gums of something sticking to it. For a 200-year-old relic it looks mighty recent.

Dr. Carver will have to make the decision. It may look good to him.

BALL LEAGUE DATES.

JOHNSON FIXING 'EM UP.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Ban Johnson, president of the American League, was in town today and had a conference with President Pulliam of the National League regarding the playing dates for next season.

As matters now stand, the National and American Leagues will begin their championships five days apart, the Nationals on April 12 and the Americans on April 17. This would seem as if there would be many conflicting dates between the two leagues, and it is to avoid such a contigency that President Johnson has come to New York to go over the schedules with the National League leader.

FAVORITES HAD GOOD DAY.

AND THE RAIN POURS DOWN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—Soreltop, at the lucrative odds of 12 to 1, made her field look cheap in the fourth race at Oakland today, and won as she pleased. Favorites had a good day, winning four events. Rain fell incessantly.

Five furlongs: Isolation, 108 (Knapp,) 3 to 1, won; Santa Ray, 110 (Fountain,) 11 to 1, second; Prominence, 110 (Goodchild,) 17 to 10, third; time 1:02. Miss Spokane, Alumdina, Niota, Kiss, Gerolette, Dangerous Girl, Sicyon and Southern Lady also ran.

Five and a half furlongs: David Boland, 105 (Fountain,) 9 to 5, won; Tramotor, 106 (Knapp,) 5 to 1, second; Yo San, 111 (Adams,) 11 to 5, third; time 1:08½. Tam O'Shanter, Shady Lad, Realista and E. M. Brattain also ran.

Six furlongs: Entre Nous, 106 (Radtke,) 9 to 10, won; Swift Queen, 108 (Herbert,) 5 to 1, second; Melar, 105 (Robinson,) 7 to 1, third; time 1:16¾. Jerusha, Macene, Bereniel, Edna Sullivan, Prickles and Lady Ninora also ran.

Seven furlongs: Sorrel Top, 100 (Russell,) 12 to 1, won; Glenarvon, 111 (Knapp,) 5 to 1, second; Modicum, 110 (Offs,) 7 to 1, third; time 1:29¾. Birdie P., Sunrose, Hipponax, Henry Luthermann, Jr., Loone and Sherry also ran.

Mile and fifty yards: Dixie Lad, 107 (Robinson,) 7 to 2, won; Baker, 107 (Radtke,) 20 to 1, second; Chestnut, 107 (Fountain,) 20 to 1, third; time 1:47¼. Bird of Passage, Busy Bee, Hainault and Harold W. also ran.

Mile and a sixteenth: Critical, 107 (Loague,) 9 to 10, won; Esherin, 106 (Knapp,) 4 to 1, second; Hilee, 98 (Downing,) 12 to 5, third; time 1:49¾. Langford James, Marie J. and Ora Kinney also ran.

DOWN IN LOUISIANA.

YESTERDAY'S RACE RESULTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 18.—Five and a half furlongs: Sonnet won, Ancient Witch second, Grover third; time 1:09.

Six and a half furlongs: Rather Royal won, Fancy Dress second, Sea Voyage third; time 1:22 2-5.

Five and a half furlongs: Dr. Coffey won, Ala Russell second, Joe Colson third; time 1:09 1-5.

Mile and one-sixteenth: De Reszke won, Macbeth second, Bullfinch third; time 1:46 4-5.

Seven furlongs: Whippoorwill won, Southern Cross second, Columbia Girl third; time 1:28 4-5.

Mile and 70 yards: Auromaster won, Raviana second, Bronze Wing third; time 1:48 2-5.

City Park results:

Three and a half furlongs: Old Trick won, La Thorpe second, Ronay third; time 0:42 4-5.

Mile and one-sixteenth: King of the Valley won, Heigerson second, Meerlingo third; time 1:48 3-5.

Seven furlongs: Bellingian won, Belle Stromo second, Nazil third; time 1:27 4-5.

Six furlongs, handicap: Emergency won, Lucy Young second, Careless third; time 1:13 3-5.

Six and a half furlongs: Marco won, April Shower second, Miladi Love third; time 1:21.

Mile and 70 yards: Beecher won, Fonsaluca second, Big Boy third; time 1:46.

Six and a half furlongs: Monochord won, Libation second, Telenathy third; time 1:21 1-5.

MARVIN HART HERE TO BOX.

Tommy Ryan Issues His Defi to O'Brien.

Will Meet Jack, but Only at Middle Limit.

Both Open to Engagements. Britt Arrives.

Nearly as big as Jeffries, and every bit as handsome, husky Marvin Hart arrived last night in tow of Manager Tommy Ryan, and took up temporary shelter from the rain until permanent training quarters can be established, probably at Santa Monica.

There may be some clouds on Hart's claim to the heavyweight title, but he has the rest of the bunch beaten a block on looks. Quite the best looking knight of the mitts who has lately put in an appearance here is this stalwart Kentucky farmer.

Tommy Ryan is bigger than ever, and weighs about 180 in his clothes. While primarily out for Hart's business, the thrifty Michigan peach grower is overlooking no bets on his own account, and last night through "Secretary" Jack Curley, declared his willingness to defend the middleweight title at 158 pounds, ringside, against all comers, preferably "Philadelphia Jack O'Brien." Tommy will not concede an ounce beyond the middleweight limit, but will give Jack a whack at Hart if he prefers catchweights.

As for Marvin, he is open to any engagements that offer, when Tommy Burns has been met next month. Nobody barred, not even Jeffries should he come out of retirement, though Hart distinctly states that he is not challenging Jeff, and does not intend to unless the big fellow voluntarily reenters the game again.

Hart has been in the game seven years and is 27 years old now. He will fight at 200 pounds. He does not think Tommy Burns ranks with Jack Johnson, and therefore looks for a victory the night of February 23, though there are conflicting reports out about the real outcome of that Johnson-Hart battle.

Tom McCarey probably will make an offer for a meeting between Tommy Ryan and O'Brien within the next few days, and doubtless can see his way clear to a good one. Two of the best men in the business are bound to draw like a house afire if they can ever be brought together on weight.

Last night was quite an occasion for the fighters. Jimmy Britt also dropped in. The other gentlemen found the Nadeau good enough for them, but Jimmy quartered at the Angelus. He is looking for something to do in the lightweight line, and in all probability will get a whack at the Herman-Hererra winner.

BILLIARD PLAY.

BALK LINE CONTEST.

Lovers of the game of billiards, and there are many in this city, have a treat in store for them this evening when Spinks, one of the greatest players in the country, will play against Arthur Seymour at Henry Berry's rooms on South Spring street. Every enthusiast in this city knows what Seymour can do. He is the local three cushion champion and besides having averaged one in forty innings at that style of play, is probably the superior of any local man at balk line. The match tonight will be 300 points at fourteen inch, with two shots in the balk and will begin at 8 o'clock.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

ROBERTS SHINES BRIGHTLY.

Peck and Roberts cleaned up H. Smith and Benfer last night on Morley's alleys by ninety-one pins, in a match that gave Roberts a chance to show what he can do in bowling. He had a high roll of 242 and a second high of 221 and finished the five games with an average of 206 2-5. The best that either of his opponents could do in high roll was Benfer, who made 205 and 202 and an average of 189 4-5.

The scores were as follows:

Peck	134	167	190	199	194	189 2-5
Roberts	200	242	190	179	221	206 3-5
	334	409	380	378	417	
Smith	187	190	178	150	194	167 4-5
Benfer	168	197	202	179	202	189 4-5
	355	387	381	329	396	

The Native Sons, composed of Davis, Duke and A. Smith were beaten by the Diggers composed of Dugan, Weber and Mosten, the scores being 1368 to 1275.

HERRERA HOME.

IDOL OF THE TOWN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, Jan. 18.—Aurelio Herrera is home. When he arrived this morning he was given a hearty reception by a large number of friends and admirers and was presented with a diamond ring purchased for $250, which was raised by popular subscription in less than an hour. Aurelio is apparently going to take better care of himself as he refused numerous invitations to drink.

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STILL AFTER HOFFMAN.

Another Requisition Issued for Young Bridegroom from Missouri, Who Languishes in Jail.

Claude L. Hoffman, the young bridegroom now confined in the City Jail may never be returned to St. Joseph, Mo., to answer the charge of embezzlement preferred by William G. Chittenden, a charge that interrupted the honeymoon trip of Hoffman and his bride.

The most determined effort is being made to satisfactorily settle the whole affair, in which case Hoffman will be given his liberty, and the whole legal tangle, which has now extended over several weeks, will be ended.

Gov. Folk of Missouri yesterday issued another requisition upon Gov. Pardee of this State, demanding Hoffman's return to answer the charge which has been pressed against him so industriously by the eastern authorities.

W. T. Wheeler, an agent of the State of Missouri, has been in Los Angeles for several weeks. He was prevented from returning with his prisoner when Hoffman was first taken into custody, owing to the latter's release on a writ of habeas corpus. It was shown that the information on which he was originally arrested was not properly supported by an affidavit.

Hoffman was subsequently rearrested and Officer Wheeler was advised yesterday of the issuance of new requisition papers by the officials of his State. Until the arrival of these documents it will be impossible to determine the action of the California authorities in recognizing or refusing to accept them.

Officer Wheeler last night held a conference with Hoffman in the City Jail, and a message to The Times from St. Louis last night stated that efforts were being made to terminate the whole business without further contest over Hoffman's return. The latter's wife is still in Los Angeles, and besides visiting her husband as often as possible, is doing everything in her power to assist him.

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PART II: EDITORIAL, LOCAL AND BUSINESS SECTION

Pen Points

Shakespeare was a poor actor but a great man. And when he died the combination was lost.

Senator Ben Tillman should himself be called upon to explain. What does he mean by the term "Back-stickers"?

"Two whole stars or none," said the sun-kissed kids of the Southwest, and under the dome of the nation's capitol they made it stick.

History may as well record the complete collapse of the Moors as factors in the affairs of the world. They have taken to praying when the thing to do is to fight.

We are glad to note that a party of Chicago gentlemen are coming to this town looking for business. Sometimes men come here from Chicago looking for trouble.

Andrew Carnegie rises every morning at 7 o'clock. He is a rich man and can't afford to lie abed like his more fortunate brethren who are not cursed with wealth.

Miss Alice Roosevelt has now decided upon the two most important features of her approaching wedding. She has selected her husband and the kind of a dress she will wear.

It is noticed that members of the United States Senate are now in the habit of calling on God to witness the truth of their public statements. It has become really necessary.

As far as Gen. Castro is concerned, it must be said in all fairness that if France wants to fight him he has done whatever a gentleman could reasonably be expected to do to oblige her.

"Smith is a Democrat," says the press dispatches from Washington, referring to Mark Smith of Arizona. Yes, and there have been even worse things than that said about him.

The dispatches state that Mark Smith lost his temper in Washington on Wednesday last. It is to be hoped he will find it again. Mark is one of those men who haven't much to lose.

It may be true as old "Pitchfork" says, that the Senate must speak right out if it desires Theodore Roosevelt to hear it, but when it wants the railroad to hear it, all it need do is wink its eye.

If we are to believe Mr. Tillman, he desires it to be understood that he isn't afraid to walk by the White House even though the President's three prize bulldogs were running loose in the front yard.

A party of Chicago business boosters are headed this way. After they have spent whatever time here that their itinerary permits they will return to Chicago converted and full-fledged boosters for Los Angeles.

George Washington filled the office of Justice of the Peace after he had served two terms as President of the United States, but that does not justify Grover Cleveland in descending to the job of rebate referee for a life insurance company.

"Like Andrew Jackson or Napoleon, Roosevelt pushes things to the limit," says Tillman. That's what Roosevelt is there for, and that's why the people elected him by the largest majority ever given a President since the days of James Monroe.

The President of France has very little power; hardly more, in fact, than the King of England has. It is doubtful, indeed, if the two of them together have as much power, when you come right down to it, as an ordinary American Justice of the Peace.

As far as can be judged at this distance from the scene of conflict, the battle against the joint Statehood bill was won on the strength of the profile of N. O. Murphy amidships, and the fact that Mark Smith called a man from Maine a liar and then took it back.

It is not to be wondered at that Grover Cleveland is sick of his connection with the life insurance business. The very fact that he stands a chance of finally landing in the same class with Chauncey Depew is enough to sicken a stronger stomach than Grover's.

Among that party of Oregonians now touring California officially, and which will soon reach Los Angeles, we note the presence of a certain doctor whose function seems to be "to deliver witty observations." He is doubtless a State institution. No well regulated commonwealth is without them.

Anyhow, when you give the thing a thought, and consider that the intention was to tack New Mexico and Arizona onto the flag together as one star no bigger than the star that represents a dinky little State like Rhode Island, it was enough to make the blood of any true American boil.

The Fiji Islands place a duty of 12½ per cent. on American works of art. And, although the contrary might be naturally expected from the Fiji's, they make no discrimination at all in favor of the nude in art, of which many horrible instances stand to America's credit or discredit, as the case may be.

FAINT HEART NEVER WON ANYTHING.

From the fiscal policy of England to the fiscal policy of the United States is a cry a thousand times farther than the old one of Macedonia. Sauce for the English goose is not necessarily palatable with the American turkey. The birds differ one from another as far apart as the poles. This in reference to the elections now taking place in the United Kingdom, for the new Parliament.

The fellows whose mouths are always wide open, with tongues wagging at both ends, are loud in their jubilation at the turn of affairs on the other side of the Atlantic. They belong to that species of the human race who, when they see the smoke rolling out of the big funnel of an Atlantic greyhound, think it is the smoke that makes the floating palace speed through the water. Their thoughts never go deep enough to comprehend the matchless machinery down in the hold of the ship, nor the glowing heat of the coals under the big boilers. Their joy at the present time is unconfined as they hear of their free trade allies over in England winning such wonderful victories over the followers of Joseph Chamberlain, who have sprung there within very recent years an entirely new idea in England of protective tariff.

Without entering into a disquisition which would be necessarily very long, explaining why free trade might be the best possible policy for England and yet be the very worst policy for the United States, or why free trade for England might have been the best policy sixty years ago and by no means so beneficial at the present day, there is one feature in this Liberal triumph in England to the consideration of which American free traders should energetically devote all the gray matter that lies under their hats.

In Birmingham, Joseph Chamberlain, contrary to the general expectations of his opponents and somewhat contrary to his own expectations, has succeeded in retaining his own seat and that of every one of his followers in and about that great manufacturing city. Mr. Balfour, the late Premier, was disastrously defeated in his own borough. Mr. Chamberlain is triumphantly elected in his borough. The same has been the fate of nearly all the Balfourites who stood for election to seats in Parliament all through the United Kingdom. Mr. Chamberlain's fate has been also the happy lot of his stanch followers in a multitude of instances.

Now, here is a fact pregnant with meaning and casting a brilliant light upon this whole question of nearly absolute free trade and of moderate protection, as proposed by Chamberlain for the United Kingdom. Chamberlain got down definitely on his own side of the fence, proclaimed unequivocally the principles for which he was contending, carried vigorous warfare everywhere into the camp of his enemies, and hurled in their faces every strong open argument for his policy at his command. Mr. Balfour stood in a equivocal position. He was a notorious straddler during the whole period of the discussion between the two forms of fiscal policy, and all who followed him followed him in this standstill attitude of being neither one thing nor the other.

This lesson taught by a positive, unequivocal attitude, unmistakable in its intentions, in statesmanship, is to be commended to the careful consideration not only of the free trade advocates in America but just as importantly to that of certain somewhat weak-kneed apologists among our own party following for the protective tariff principles. The old proverb, "Faint heart never won fair lady," is just as true when the prize is a seat in Congress or any other victory in politics, as when it is the fair hand of Lady Clara Vere de Vere.

Balfour's attitude was an attitude of indecision, of cowardice. Chamberlain's attitude was an attitude of cleancut, manly, courageous determination to stand by his guns and win the battle, or if he had to go down, to use the old slang phrase, "to go down like Gallagher's goat, a-roarin'." This election in Birmingham, as said above, casts an unmistakable illumination upon the situation even in England. The Chamberlain cause, which the day before yesterday seemed lost forever, is today the liveliest dead thing in all England. Chamberlain remains in the House, and Chamberlainism remains, as it has been for a couple of years past, the vital subject before the people of England. Protection for English industries is very far from being a dead issue.

Now, let us go back to the first enunciation made in this article. The whole question of free trade or modified protection, as touching conditions in England, cannot fairly or intelligently be applied to the conditions in the United States. The industrial positions of the two countries are as wide apart as the poles.

RELIGION AND BUSINESS.

There never was a doubt that business were all the better for the mixture of a certain amount of real religion in it, nor is it a matter for dispute that it is necessary in this materialistic and highly practical age to inject a certain amount of business into religion, but it still remains true that religion and business are different things. They cannot be successfully conducted as joint enterprises. Although one may help the other, the two won't mix.

Perhaps the most striking proof of the truth of these contentions that our modern times furnishes is the history of Zion City, founded by John Alexander Dowie, and carried on by him and his so-called disciples for a number of years past. The case is one upon which the entire theory of mixing business and religion was at stake. And the whole world has been waiting to see how the experiment would come out. From current news dispatches, it is quite safe to say that disaster is the result.

To those who have followed the Dowie business and the Dowie religion, as well as the man himself, it will appear that the experiment could not have been placed in abler hands. He possessed remarkable ability both as a preacher and as a financier. He built great factories, filled them with flying wheels and put hundreds of his people at employment. He swayed their souls with wonderful eloquence of speech and a strange personal magnetism day after day from a pulpit where he presided in his character as the prophet of the living God. He was no scoffer nor unbeliever, and the doctrines he taught and expounded were Christian and quite as orthodox as those handed down from any of the pulpits of the land.

But the whole thing appears to be crumbling to ruin. The business that Dowie built up is entangled in dangerous meshes that threaten its continued existence. And from the religious standpoint, the "prophet" is now almost without honor in his own country. The Zion of Dowie is plainly tottering to its fall.

The whole question resolves itself into the fact that the religious impulse and the business impulse are not one and the same thing. During his ministries on this earth Christ gave no thought to business. Business is for the purpose of making money. Religion is for the purpose of spiritual salvation. Both are obviously necessary. But they won't mix.

TILLMAN TABLED.

The most charitable construction that can be placed upon Senator Tillman's remarkable performance in the Senate on Wednesday is that he was under the influence of liquor. Indeed, it is but kindness to suppose that he was drunk.

As for the crocodile tears that Tillman shed when referring to the Mrs. Morris incident, what could have induced such a lachrymose overflow save the maudlin state of mind induced by overindulgence in some beverage that both exhilarates and intoxicates?

Tillman declared that his attacks upon the President were not based upon personal animosity, but the tenor of his remarks, and the common knowledge of his personal attitude toward the President belie his denial. It seems inconceivable that the Senator, if he had been in possession of his sober senses, could have gone to such extremes of frenzy, of untruth, and of unreasonableness. Even his Democratic compeers were disgusted. The whole affair was most unseemly, unnecessary, uncalled-for, inexcusable.

As for the alleged mistreatment of Mrs. Morris, which was seized upon by Mr. Tillman as the text of his wild harangue, there is no reason to believe that any wrong was inflicted. The President knew nothing of the proceeding at the time. Learning of it afterward, he probably finds no ground for disapproval. Mrs. Morris had gone several times to the White House for the purpose of seeing the President on what she regarded as a personal matter. She insisted upon an interview, in defiance of the rules and regulations which are necessary for the protection of the President from intrusion. It must be remembered in this connection that the President is the busiest man in the nation, and he cannot be interrupted by every visitor who chooses to call at the White House. Secret service men are always present, and it is right that they should be present, to head off cranks and other undesirable visitors. When Mrs. Morris was refused admission to the President's private office she became hysterical and violent. The secret service men quietly, and as gently as possible, removed her and placed her in a carriage. Any disorderly person would and should have been removed under like circumstances, though perhaps the carriage might have been dispensed with.

Now, there is nothing in all this which should have excited the anger, the indignation, and much less the lachrymal ducts of Pitchfork Tillman, nor of any other person on earth. It is absolutely necessary that the President of the United States shall be protected from unwarranted intrusion during the hours which he must devote to the public business. Every person of sense recognizes this fact and the necessity for it. President Roosevelt, as is known of all men, is perhaps more accessible than any man who has occupied the Executive chair. He is not the man who would place an indignity upon a woman—for he has a most wholesome respect for womanhood. The entire case of Tillman vs. Roosevelt falls flat of its own weight and its inherent lack of common sense.

The sentiment of the Senate in this matter is shown in the action taken yesterday. Tillman offered his resolution for an investigation of the incident, and Senator Daniel (Dem.) of Virginia, promptly moved that it be laid on the table. Carried—yeas, fifty-four; nays, eight. The affair may now be regarded as a closed incident.

DON QUIXOTE'S LAST CHARGE.

Sr. Don Tillman: "To the rescue of the distressed of all sexes and all nations!"

THE SEA MADNESS.

I have come far from the sound of the thresh, the sight of the living sea,
To a place of cribbed and narrow ways, where only the wind is free;
But the leap of the sea is in my blood, and always, night and day,
I hear the lap and wash of the waves, the hiss of the flying spray.

When the loosened winds of the tempest wake far thunder on the deep
I can hear the siren music calling through the veil of sleep;
Through the thronging city highways comes the hollow ocean roar,
And I sicken for the long green surge, the lonely foam-wet shore.

I know a storm-lashed headland, where the broken hillside dips
In a somber flame of heather to the ocean's singing lips.
I must go; the sea has called me, as a mistress to her swain;
From the immemorial tumult I shall drink of peace again.
—[London News.

I'VE BEEN THINKING.

BY CHARLES BATTELL LOOMIS.

The other day I had been going on at a pretty rapid rate, denouncing the illgotten money of the American "robber barons," saying that I would rather die poor but honest than be as rich as—I can't think of his name, but he is respected by the unthinking everywhere.

Suddenly a man who is known from end to end of the world came up to me—yes, to me, and asked me, how I was getting along.

Why, I almost gasped for breath. He is worth millions, and I wondered how he could have heard of me, who owe the dollar and a quarter that I call my own.

Now, if ever anybody made his money sinfully he did. He stands high up among the Standard Oil men and I yield to no one in contempt for his methods, although I will admit that his manners are perfect and he certainly seems to know people outside of his world.

He congratulated me on a story of mine that he had read. It was one satirizing plutocrats, but he had missed the satire and had taken it as a compliment.

Said he, "I wish to help people in all the arts. I wish to seek out artists and give them rolls of money. I want to find struggling musicians and help them to an education. And I particularly want to give you a house and lot and some shares of railroad stock that will yield you an income of ten thousand dollars a year."

Well, you may imagine I did not know what to do. However the man may have come by his money, he was certainly moved by kindly feelings in wishing to share with me.

I hesitated and hemmed and hawed and thought of my family and of the good uses to which I might put the money.

And then I remembered that my ancestors were Puritans, and that not one of them in all the nine generations ever told a lie or did anything wrong in any way whatsoever, and I took a long breath and said, "Thy money perish with thee. I'll have none of it."

And then I woke up.

What would we have thought of that mother who thirty or even fifteen years ago allowed her children to play tag and spin tops on the railroad track of a trunk line? We would have called her lacking in common sense. But the world moves, and although mothers still object to their children playing tag and spinning tops on railroad tracks, steam cars are now allowed on our highways and byways, and whereas the railroad trains runs on a schedule, the modern steam car and its brothers, the electric car and the gasoline-motor, run at full speed under no schedule, and they run where children most do congregate.

And so used do we become to dangers that we mothers—I speak as a man—sit at our bedroom windows and calmly continue our sewing as we watch Willy elude a machine running at twenty miles an hour, and Jenny calmly step aside to allow the passage of a road-devouring monster, painted red and "chugging" in a manner unknown to our fathers, who did not even know what "chugging" was.

Now, when airships are common and they begin to fall from the sky, as they most certainly will in the hands of inexperienced aeronauts, the careful mother will at first make her children play in the house or in some protected playground, but after awhile she will realize that this world is meant to be lived in, danger or no danger, and she will merely say: "Willy, if you hear a strange noise overhead look up and dodge or I can't let you play out of doors."

And in learning to dodge a falling airship and at the same time keep out of the path of a hurtling motor-car, the children of the future will get to be so nimble that the race as a whole will be improved. It will be a fast race, in fact.

Which shows that everything is for the best.

Nature of Ether.

The great Russian chemist, Prof. Mendeleeff, discoverer of the famous periodic law of the elements, has contributed to the new Russian Encyclopedic Dictionary a remarkable paper, in which he deals with the ether. A translation of this article, printed in the current number of Nature, will be of supreme interest to all physicists. In opposition to some recent thinkers, Mendeleeff insists that matter is not a mode of force or motion, but that "substances (masses) and phenomena (movements) must be recognized as two separate categories, such as space and time, the substance of which our thought has not yet penetrated, but without which it cannot work." The ether of space he regards as matter, resembling argonorthelium, in having no power of chemical combination; it must also possess extremely low density and great rapidity of molecular motion. In order that the ether may escape from the sphere of attraction of stars fifty times as great as the mass of the sun it must have an atomic weight not more than .000,000,000,053. The very small value of this figure explains why there is little hope of isolating the substance of the ether in the near future, and it also explains why it penetrates all substances. We have got rid of the old ideas of light, heat and electricity being imponderables, and now, Mendeleeff considers, "we can say with certainty that the luminiferous ether, if it be real, is ponderable, although it cannot be weighed, just as air cannot be weighed in air or water in water."—[Baltimore Sun.

Women's Modern Occupations.

The number of women employed in the downtown skyscrapers is growing larger every year. A student who wanted to know how many women are employed in the section south of Fulton street went to Battery place the other morning and took a stroll up Broadway, stopping at interview the elevator starters in various skyscrapers. In all 12 buildings were entered. The only building off Broadway that was visited was the Broad Exchange at Broad and Wall streets. In these 12 buildings it was found that, according to estimates, 272 women were employed, ranging from 70 in the Standard Oil building to 600 in the Broad Exchange. Seven out of the 12 buildings gave figures ranging from 200 to 500, and the average for the 12 is 277. It is a fact that women practically have taken possession of certain occupations since they began to engage in money-earning. Eighty per cent. of all the teachers in the United States are women, and although there is constant protest against this fact from some quarters, women yearly press into higher and higher positions. So, in the modern profession of trained nursing, there are 9762 women in New York, as against 1342 men, and the proportion would be much greater in the country at large. In the manufacture of textiles in New York City 15,713 women are employed, as against 10,521 men, according to the census reports. In the clothing, millinery and laundry trades there were only 2000 more men than women in New York five years ago.—[Pittsburgh Dispatch.

A Dime for the Orphan.

A bevy of college students were standing on a street corner one day, when an Irishman came along wheeling a barrow of brick. Thinking to have some fun, one of the boys accosted him thus:

"Hello, Pat! Have you heard the news?"

Pat let down the handles of the barrow and a look of surprise spread quickly over his features.

"Sure, no; and what news?"

"Why, the devil is dead."

"Well, well; and it's too bad, it is."

And Pat approached the speaker and handed him a ten-cent piece.

"What is this for, Pat?"

"Sure, and 'tis only a custom we have in owld Ireland. Whin a man's father dies we help the poor orphan."
—[Magazine of Fun.

No doubt all the persons last selected for the Hall of Fame really belong there as will be seen when the committee explains who some of them are.
—[The Chicago New

MEN AND THINGS OVER THE SEAS.

Balfour's Debacle.

While the British elections are as yet only half completed, the overwhelming nature of the Liberal victory is already made manifest. There are many reasons to explain the political landslide without resorting to any forced conclusion as to an uprising of a militant and triumphant mobocracy. After twenty years of unbroken power (except for one interval of three years) it was inevitable that the Conservatives should be beaten, and badly beaten. In Great Britain the party in office, whether it be Conservative or Liberal, invariably makes more enemies by its sins of commission and of omission than it makes friends by any useful legislation it may accomplish. Thus when the pendulum has taken a long swing during a period of years, its backward swing has always accumulated momentum. Had Mr. Balfour resigned from office a couple of years ago, he might have been defeated at the polls, but his defeat then would have been but a small thing as compared with his utter debacle today. These last two years of clinging to office despite the obvious restive anxiety of the country for a change of government, as shown by the by-elections, have simply sufficed to fill full the vials of political enmity and wrath.

Lost His Only Weapon.

When the Liberals, on the very eve of the contest, boldly appropriated the foreign policy of the Unionists as their own, declaring that the Japanese alliance, the entente cordiale with France and friendship with the United States were precisely the things dearest to their own hearts, then indeed was Mr. Balfour robbed of his one effective weapon of defense. Had his opponents attacked him on grounds of foreign policy he could have returned the blows with effect, for the one popular act of the Unionist government had been the management of the nation's foreign affairs. But when Mr. Balfour was calmly denied any party credit for this, his solitary claim to any special gratitude at the hands of the electors was gone.

Accordingly men who would undoubtedly have rallied to his defense had he been assailed on foreign questions, felt themselves free to join in the hue and cry against his unmitigated failure over domestic legislation. For every measure Mr. Balfour has engineered through Parliament has had the effect of exciting the animosity of some one section of public opinion. The Education Act, although there are many valid arguments to support it, got the whole non-conformist body, or rather group of bodies, into a white heat of indignation, and they have just been biding this time to pay its political sponsor alive. Similarly the Licensing Act, admitting the principle of compensation for expropriated liquor licenses, set the teeth of the temperance party on edge, and they are now making their bite to be felt, sharp and hard. And so all along the line of things attempted by the most invaded.

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... the auspices of the Kindergarten Club, Miss Marie Shedlock, the ... teller, will lecture today upon ... Art of Story Telling." The lec... will be given at the auditorium of ... Polytechnic High School at 2:30 ... this afternoon. Another ad... upon the same topic will be given ... same place Monday afternoon.

...entary Law.

... Benjamin, lecturer on parlia... law, will talk to a group of ... this afternoon at the residence ... Lucy Blanchard, Second and ... streets. Mrs. Benjamin was ... to Los Angeles in the interest ... W.C.T.U. work, and twenty Los ... women have formed a club to ... series of three talks on parlia... law from her lips. ... Benjamin formerly instructed ... Club in the intricacies of ... entary procedure.

CATS OF QUALITY.

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... the finest specimens may be ... a pair of black Manx cats, ... of Miss Adolynne Chan... to be the finest specimens of ... breed in America; a "Cherry-... Cat" from the Isle of Malta, ... of Mrs. Mayme Goodrich; ... and Major Adair, de... of the famous Hamish, win... seven cups and countless rib... Blue Eyes, "The Club Cat," ... Angora that money will not ... Yu-Wyn, a silver Angora, the ... of Mrs. H. S. Bent; Blue Bon... winner of the National Fan... Association cup in 1904, and ... Charming, a beautiful gelding ... to Mrs. E. A. Wright.

... are more than ninety cats on ... each a prize specimen in its ... all seem to realize their im... and pose with haughty indif... the host of inquisitive visi...

... of the inclement weather, ... a goodly crowd in attend... today, and it is expected that ... today, when the prizes are ... there will be a record-break... Owing to the rain, the ... have made arrangements to ... show continue over Sunday ... of closing Saturday night, as ... original intention.

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The Boer Wave.

Then, Mr. Balfour was enabled to power on the last occasion on which of the national wave of sentimental relief over the announcement of the Boer war. But the otic fervor over that not for victory has long since evaporated, now only the aftermath of the reckoning remains. The hits hard the great middle class England, and while it went up war time, and was then paid, when it still keeps high time there is a grudge and a over every disbursement. The taxpayers have been nursing ter grievance, and now they vented their feelings at the

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The president and manager yesterday afternoon: "We have always conducted our institution as an open shop, making no discrimination between union and non-union men. We continue that policy in case no trouble is declared on us, although we hardly look for something of the kind tomorrow, as we have turned down very bluntly all union attempts heretofore. In case the strike occurs we will turn down all union men and run with non-union men only. I may say that the only ardent adherents of the union are the helpers—not the regular machine handlers. The strike will not exceed twenty, if the men decide to go out."

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

The Monday Morning Club will enjoy a display of beautiful stereopticon views illustrating a specially prepared lecture on "The Architectural Beauty of a Garden," with especial reference to Italian gardens, given to-day by Miss Hunt.

Mrs. Hunt has spent much time and study in getting the pictures. Some are taken to show the garden of Mrs. [illegible] of this city, with its distinctive features, besides a number of other exquisite illustrations.

[illegible] Club.

Under the auspices of the Kindergarten Club, Miss Marie Shedlock, the famous lecturer, will lecture today upon the subject of "Story Telling." The lecture is given at the auditorium of Polytechnic High School at 3:30 this afternoon. Another address on the same topic will be given at the same place Monday afternoon.

[illegible] Law.

Professor Benjamin, lecturer on parliamentary law, will talk to a group of ladies this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Lucy Blanchard, Second and Hope streets. Mrs. Benjamin was formerly in Los Angeles in the interest of the W.C.T.U. work, and twenty Los Angeles ladies have formed a club to receive a series of three talks on parliamentary law from her lips. Professor Benjamin is a thoroughly instructed parliamentarian, and the Club on the intricacies of [illegible] procedure.

CATS OF QUALITY.

The Ninety Felines of High Class Cat Club Show Now on at Chutes Park.

Fine cats of every description at the show of the California Cat Club now being held at Chute's Park show, cats of the pedigree or garden variety, cats of more value than blooded horses, cats of the Bowery and cats from Fifth [illegible]

The show, the first held under the auspices of the club, is said by experts to be the best exhibition of the kind ever held in America and some of the finest feline blood is represented. There are the ordinary gray cats and there are Japanese, Siamese and Angora cats worth [illegible] each. The club is affiliated with the National Cat Club of America, and all of the cats on exhibition are entered for cups and first prizes at the show.

Some of the finest specimens may be seen in a pair of black Manx cats, owned by Miss Adelynne Channell, said to be the finest specimens of the breed in America; a "Cherry-Blossom" from the Isle of Malta, owned by Mrs. Mayme Goodrich, and Major Adair, described as the famous Hamish, winner of many cups and countless ribbons. Blue Eyes, "The Club Cat," is a beauty, that money will not buy. It is a silver Angora, the property of Mrs. H. S. Bent; Blue Bonnie, winner of the National Fancier's cup in 1904, and owned by a beautiful gelding owned by Mrs. E. A. Wright.

More than ninety cats on exhibition, each a prize specimen in its class, seem to realize their importance and pose with haughty indifference to the host of inquisitive visitors.

Because of the inclement weather, a goodly crowd in attendance, and it is expected that before when the prizes are awarded there will be a record-breaking crowd. Owing to the rain, the club has made arrangements to continue over Sunday and Monday, closing Saturday night, as originally intended.

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$9.00 trousers for $7.25

We call particular attention to the special values we are showing in men's single and double breasted suits at $15. Also to our very choice assortment of men's suits at $20 and $25.

In the Boys' Department we have a fine assortment of Boys' Rain Coats at from $5.00 to $15.00. Also a new stock of Boys' gloves.

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(ANNEX)

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$3.00 to $4.00 grades at $1.50
$4.50 and $5.00 grades at $2.25
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Practically all sizes.

Silk Waist Sale Today

$2.75 For Waists that Were $6 to $10

Taffetas and Peau de Soies in red, blue, brown and black. China silks in white and black.

Some beautifully trimmed; some in plain tailored styles. All sizes somewhere in the lot.

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ANY BARGAINS are not mentioned in print. Just as the pages of a newspaper cannot possibly chronicle all the interesting news of the day, so our daily news can never give you more than an imperfect idea of the bargains our store affords.

$18.00 to $25.00 Skirts $15.00

Broken lines, whose counterparts have sold fastest this season. Let that explain an otherwise unreasonable price-cut on these that are left.

Fine checks, mixtures, overplaids; some white mohairs; blacks and colors; cut circular style, with folds around bottom—or full pleated with tucks at bottom, and pleated circular models. You can see at a glance that they're distinctly new.

But our New York resident buyer is sending on spring novelties every day in cloaks, skirts and suits, and we must have room regardless of cost.

SPRING COSTUMES

Just a hint of what will be worn this spring, as indicated by just-received shipments. Silk costumes in large checks; wool suits with white grounds and little hairline stripes or checks; many grays. No room for extended description here—ask to have them shown to you.

Venise Laces 1-3 Less

Handsome white, cream and ecru allover Venice laces on sale again at one-third reduction. One to four dollars a yard for $1.50 to $6 values, just when you're looking for materials for allover waists, sleeves, yokes, etc.

Half for Allovers

From the spirited selling of allover embroidered linen batiste, white swiss, nainsook and tuckings, yesterday, we can guage the widespread interest in the sale, so we repeat it today. Allovers worth, and previously selling at $1.25 to $4, now marked 65c and $2 a yard—just half price.

Notions for Little

Here are a few of the notion prices that are daily bringing crowds of pursewise women to this department:

All standard sizes of two and four hole polished pearl buttons, first quality, 5c dozen; worth 10c to 20c.

Assorted sizes cube pins, black; mixed and white, 5c worth 10c.

Dress shields; sizes 3, 4 and 5; 10c pair, worth 15 and 20c.

Hand Bags at Half

Plenty of handsome bags for you to choose from today; numbers are considerably fewer, of course, but in the whole collection there is not one that's not stylish, not well made and worth full price. Choose at half.

Bed Spread Sale

Bed spreads and comfortables of the better sorts offered at the usual price of commonplace:

Eleven-quarter crocheted spreads, cut from $1.75 to $1.35.
Eleven-quarter Marseilles spreads, cut from $2.75 to $2.25.
72x78 comforts, figured on both sides, light or medium shades, filled with single sheet of cotton, special at $2.25.

Today 25c Ribbons at 15c Yard

Satin taffeta ribbons, full four-inch widths, in many staple shades and some new ones—blacks in profusion. Real 25c qualities today 15c a yard. Buy all you want.

Wool Remnants, Half Price

Can't promise very much longer, values such as this half-price remnant sale offers, for we're about through measuring goods preparatory to inventory. So, to be sure of getting your share of an extra good bargain, choose today from new cream, gray, colored and black fabrics, from the entire department, in waist, skirt or even suit lengths, at half price.

Experts confirm our statement that we have a sponging and refinishing plant in our establishment which is as nearly perfect as it's possible to secure. Cloth sponged for 5c a yard; cylinders take in full width goods.

January Undermuslin Prices

Irresistible price-attractions in drawers, and genuine French lingerie; the drawers represent a special purchase; we reduce the imported goods (they're right out of the cases) just as an example of occasional Coulter bargains:

DRAWERS REDUCED.

25c for 35c drawers, 50c for 75c drawers, $1.15 for $1.50 drawers, $1.35 for $1.75 drawers, and many others, up to $3.75 for $5 drawers.

HAND-EMBROIDERED CHEMISE CUTS.

Goods of fine nainsook, simply trimmed with hand-embroidered scallops around top; eyelets and ribbons:
$2 values for $1.50.
With bowknots in clusters of flowers, ribbon and embroidery around neck:
$3.25 values for $2.50.

COMBINATION SETS.

Reduced prices on combination skirts and chemise; and corset covers and skirts—better known as "Marguerites." They're dainty beyond description.

Black Silks

You can't make money any easier than by saving it on the cost of high grade black silks:

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

RACY CHARGES, COUPLE HELD.

SCHOOL-TEACHER IN SENSATIONAL CASE AT CORONA.

She and Ranchman are Accused of Having Forced Another Man to Sign Statement Retracting What He Had Said About Having Seen Them in Compromising Situation.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CORONA, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After an all-day hearing behind closed doors, May Culbertson, teacher of the Auburndale school, and George Le Gaye were held by Justice Cummings to answer the charge of assault with a deadly weapon on H. L. Mick.

It is alleged that last November Mick found Miss Culbertson under embarrassing circumstances in the bedroom of George Le Gaye, a ranchman. Subsequently Le Gaye discharged Mick, who then circulated the story which eventually came to the ears of the school trustees.

They interrogated Miss Culbertson, who cleared herself by presenting a written retraction from Mick of every item of his allegations. The trustees then offered to transfer the girl to another school, but she refused to retreat under fire.

Mick afterward swore out a warrant against Le Gaye and Miss Culbertson, alleging that she extorted the confession at the point of a pistol. After swearing out the warrant Mick announced that anybody who interfered with him would be a subject for the Coroner.

In the testimony offered today, Miss Culbertson stated that at the time Mick discovered her in Le Gaye's room she was clothed in her house dress, a black skirt and red kimona, and that she was sitting on the side of the bed administering some medicine because Le Gaye was sick. Mick's story is that the girl was undressed and in bed.

The girl was held on the technical charge of assault, although all the circumstances of the case were investigated by the court.

A suit for divorce on the ground of desertion is pending between Le Gaye and his wife.

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FINE GIFT OF PLAYGROUND.

GYMNASTIC PARK IS LIKELY FOR RIVERSIDE.

Negotiations are Under Way by Which Samuel C. Evans May Deed Two Blocks for That Purpose. Judge and Attorney Bury the Hatchet.

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 18.—Through the munificence and public spirit of Samuel C. Evans, Riverside is likely to have the best school gymnasium park in Southern California. It is learned that negotiations are now afoot by which Mr. Evans will deed the two blocks between Fourth and Second streets and Pine and Pepper to the city as a school park. The conditions are simple. One of them is that the City Trustees shall close Third street between Pine and Pepper streets to traffic, or at least to vehicles. The park is to be held perpetually by the city as a playground for school children, and in this term is included all boys and girls who go to school, whether to public or private institutions. It is understood that the proposition will be made to the Board of City Trustees at their meeting next Tuesday afternoon, and from expressions of the members of the board there is no doubt that the donation will be accepted and this park dedicated to the purposes designed by the present owners.

S. C. Evans is at present the clerk of the Board of School Trustees. He is one of the wealthiest men of the community and one of the most public-spirited. He is at present outlining a scheme by which Riverside will have a complete system of manual training schools. For this purpose he recently made a trip to San Francisco and the northern cities to study the best methods in vogue.

Members of the school board are enthusiastic over the idea of a gymnasium park and playground. Members of the board are now considering a plan to equip the new park with gymnastic apparatus, baseball, football and basketball grounds and tennis courts. A house will be erected for a watchman and the park reserved exclusively for school children.

OLD FOES RECONCILED.

Sweet peace spreads her wings over the city. Judge Noyes and Attorney LaFayette Gill today met and buried the hatchet. The moving impulse at this time is the suit concerning the Graves will, and it may be stated that the officers of the Universalist Church deny any association with the possible litigation growing out of this will case. In connection with this controversy I. W. Gleason, president of the board of trustees of the Universalist Church, has issued a statement to the effect that owing to public comment upon the provisions of the will the trustees met informally Tuesday evening and unanimously decided that no action should be taken in the matter.

Messrs. John G. North and Gill & Densmore, attorneys of this city, were afterward approached by W. B. Russell and a number of citizens with a retainer to undertake the breaking of the will. None of the lawyers have felt free to discuss the matter, as it has not as yet been decided to accept the case. Judge Noyes disclaims all interest in the matter except as a witness, should the case come to trial. The news that Judge Noyes and Lawyer Gill had come to an understanding ran like wildfire throughout political circles in this city and will be news to the bar of Southern California. Both men say that they have been misled by go-betweens.

ELABORATE LUNCHEON.

Mrs. Martin Chase and her mother, Mrs. Eliza Crouch, entertained a numerous party at luncheon today. Four large tables were spread to represent spring, summer and autumn, and the decorations were elaborate and tasteful. The guests were: Mmes: Harry Chase, White, Hugh Bain, E. R. Skelley, Pliny Evans, Stewart of San Diego, W. H. Backus, E. S. Moulton, Mrs. Howe and the Misses Booth and Leighton of Rochester, N. Y., Mmes. William Hinckle, Chauncey M. McFarland, Edwin Flowers, Emerick Hewitt, James Bettner, L. F. Darling, C. H. Lee, E. A. Chase, West, Trevelyan, Kate Towle, Robert Henderson, Harry Henderson, R. L. Henderson, William Hinckle, G. R. Hand, Alex Strachan, Girdlestone, Green and the Misses Trevelyan, West, Allis Miller and Lila Lett.

SEEK TO END WATER SUIT.

R. E. Houghton of San Francisco and John H. Barton of San Bernardino are in the city today seeking a compromise or settlement of the long-pending water suit between Redlands and San Bernardino. Barlin is the leading plaintiff in the case of Barton et al., vs. the Riverside Water Company, Riverside, Highlands, West Riverside and the 350-inch companies.

In connection with water suits it is announced here tonight that the former decision of Judge Campbell of San Bernardino has been affirmed by the Supreme Court of the State. The decision is that the East Riverside Water Company as assignee from Matthew Gage, of several old water rights, shall pay a proportion of the expense of the Gage canal for 718 3-10 inches of water out of 2200 inches, and that their liability ends at the north bank of the Tequesuite Arroyo. This case has been before the courts since May 25, 1891, and more than $300,000 hung on the decision.

STUDENT'S FUNERAL.

Miss Mabel F. Payton was buried this morning. The funeral was held at the residence of her father, Dr. W. B. Payton. The faculty, a number of students and the basketball team of the U.S.C., arrived on a special car and attended the obsequies. The pallbearers were Oliver Best of this city, Walter Lennox, Guy Prior, Charles Henderson, Roy Malcom and Edwin Prior. The honorary pallbearers were the fellow-members of the U.S.C. basketball team. The interment was in Evergreen Cemetery and Rev. E. J. Inwood of the First Methodist Church conducted the services at the house and at the grave.

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ELSINORE.

STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

ELSINORE, Jan. 18.—A good deal of street work is being done. Main street is being put in fine condition. Granite curbing and cement sidewalks will be laid as soon as possible.

It is said that work on the new hotel and sanatorium to be built by a Santa Ana stock company, of which Mr. Visel is the head, will begin next month. The lumber is on the block across from the Bundy Hotel, on Spring street.

Rev. and Mrs. Philip Koeneke of Illinois, who have resided in Los Angeles for some time, are in Elsinore and will spend several weeks.

Among recent arrivals at the Bundy are: F. L. Strong, Abram L. Ricker, Jane McBerney, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Wood and R. M. Willson, all of Los Angeles; A. D. Skinner, Grand Forks, N. D.; Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Lynd, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mrs. John Osborne, San Diego.

Coronado society auto run 25th.

SAN BERNARDINO.

CONTEST FOR MINE.

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 18.—An exciting lawsuit, which will involve Deputy Sheriff T. A. Smithson, special officer for the Santa Fé at Barstow, and C. W. Roach, a former special officer for the company, is being prepared here by Attorney H. M. Willis, who has been retained by Richard Lehn and Dick Worthy, to oust Smithson and Roach from possession of the Grapevine Cemetery mine at Barstow.

Lehn is a chef on one of the overland Salt Lake diners. He and Worthy located the mine last September. They did considerable development work, but, their money giving out, they left for the outside to secure a grubstake. Before going they built monuments and posted location notices.

Roach and Smithson swooped down on the mine during the absence of the original locators, it is alleged. They put in a blast, and the result satisfied them that the property was a good one.

Roach and Smithson then, it is said, demolished the monuments and located the property in their own names, recording their locations immediately. Since then considerable development work has been performed, Lehn and Worthy hurried to the mine, only to be driven off, they say, at the points of revolvers.

Smithson was in town from Barstow this morning, and denied that Lehn and Worthy ever located the property.

SENORA DIAZ DEAD.

Señora Encarnacion Diaz, one of the eldest and most wealthy Castilian women of this valley, died this morning in her home in San Timoteo Cañon, where she had resided half a century. She was born in Madrid, Spain, seventy-five years ago. When she was a mere girl her father emigrated to Mexico, and in 1848, she, with her husband, Manuel, settled here. Considerable property here and in Los Angeles is left in the estate. Two daughters survive, Mrs. Inez York of Los Angeles and Mrs. Nettie Desler of Salt Lake.

FIGHT HEADED OFF.

The attempt to pull of a prize fight at Barstow next week was effectually stopped this morning by the District Attorney, who wired Curley Chambers, the promoter, that the fight would not be allowed, and also instructed Deputy Sheriff T. A. Smithson to prevent the mill. The fight was to have been between James M. Higgins of Albuquerque and H. M. Brown of Los Angeles. For two weeks the men have been preparing. Ben Wagner of Los Angeles training Higgins, and M. Marion of Los Angeles putting Brown into condition.

SAN BERNARDINO BRIEFS.

Jerry McNew, a well-known stockman of the Mojave River country, and uncle of County Recorder Johnson, is dead at Cottonwood Springs. Coroner H. Pittman this morning received a dispatch, calling him to Cottonwood, and requesting that he bring along an undertaker. A later telegram announces that death was due to natural causes. McNew was 60 years old, and leaves a family. For several years he had been active in Republican politics on the desert.

The annual inspection of Co. K, N.G.C., was held in this city last night by Col. Thomas Wilhelm of the regular army, who complimented the members on the progress which they were showing over last year. The officers present at the inspection were Brig.-Gen. Robert Wankowai, Col. S. H. Finley, Lieut. C. H. Howland, Lieut. J. A. Alexander and Capt. T. M. Heard.

Mrs. Peter J. Tivnan, sister of Deputy County Clerk Fussell, died this morning in New York, after a protracted illness.

Chief of Police W. A. Shay this morning closed a deal for the purchase of the residence of D. H. Wixom at the southeast corner of C and Fourth streets; consideration reported being $4500. The property has a frontage of 105 feet on C street and 122 feet on Fifth, improved with a neat frame cottage.

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COLTON.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

COLTON, Jan. 18.—The Knights of Pythias held an installation of officers in Society Hall last evening, Deputy Grand Chancellor Charles Post of Redlands, presiding. The following officers were installed: Chancellor commander, H. B. Day; vice-chancellor, Homer Fox; prelate, S. G. Winkleman; keeper of records and seal, M. A. Bagley; master of finance, D. C. Swaile; keeper of exchequer, M. C. Butterfield; master-at-arms, Earl Hubbard; inner guard, J. H. Brewster, outer guard, James Waters.

The tennis meet of the schools in the Athletic League will be held in Colton in June. It promises to be an event of great interest in school and athletic circles.

Young men of this city have organized a young men's Christian league, which they hope in time to convert into a Y.M.C.A.

Menzo Raporibe and family, who have been guests of C. D. Watson, have gone to Redondo.

Four warships now at Coronado.

SANTA ANA.

ARRAIGNS ALLEGED EMBEZZLER

SANTA ANA, Jan. 18.—G. D. Walker, who is charged with embezzling $920 April, 1904, from Mrs. Nellie Hughes of Inglewood, then Mrs. Nellie Dumbauld of Orange, was arraigned in the Superior Court this morning. Information against the man was filed today by Dist.-Atty. Head. The alleged embezzler stated to the court that his true name is not that contained in the complaint, but that it is P. W. Hazzard. This latter name is the one he was going by when he was placed under arrest in Los Angeles six weeks ago. Walker's plea will be entered January 26. His attorney is Victor Montgomery of this city.

FOR CHICAGOANS.

The committee appointed to entertain the Chicago Commercial Association's representatives upon their visit here next Monday, met last night and decided to give the visitors an auto ride about the valley. They will be taken from the 9:30 o'clock morning train and around the "kite" track, stopping for brief periods at Tustin and Orange. On their return they will be shown about Santa Ana. In the afternoon the Chicagoans will hold an informal reception for local business men in their cars. They depart from here at 3:30 p.m.

SANTA ANA BRIEFS.

A movement is on foot here to secure Mme. Helena Modjeska for an evening's engagement at the Grand Opera-house while she is in Southern California upon her present tour.

Marriage licenses have been granted here to Ned M. Fuller, aged 21, and Grace Robinson, aged 19, both residents of Los Angeles, and to A. A. Coronado, aged 30, and Teresa N. Castillo, aged 22, both residents of Yorba.

FACIAL PARALYSIS

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What appears to be a slight nervous attack may be the forerunner of a severe disorder. No nervous sufferer should neglect the warning symptoms, but should see that the starved nerves are nourished before the injury to the delicate organism has gone to an extent that renders a cure a difficult matter. The nerves receive their nourishment through the blood, the same as every other part of the body, and the best nerve tonic and food is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The experience of Mr. Harry Bemis, of Truthville, Washington county, N. Y., substantiates this.

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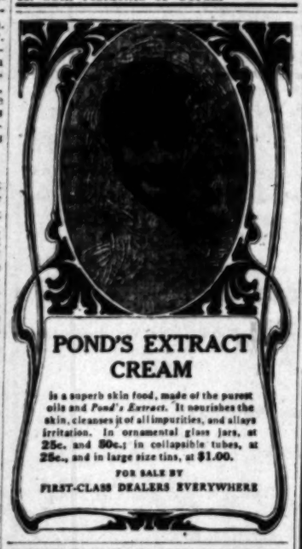

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WM. H. HOLLIS, Secretary.
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Total number of votes cast in the election, 2758; total cast for candidates for Mayor, 2695; necessary to institute recall proceedings against the Mayor, 690.

The determination to try to oust Mayor Waterhouse from office comes to be the sole topic of conversation on the streets, and meantime all municipal business is practically at a standstill.

Started by the determined plans formed by many of the leading men of the town to oust the Mayor, some of the Councilmen are looking for a soft place to land, and it won't be at all surprising if a majority of the Council make a statement to the public within the next few days explaining and offering reasons for their uniform voting for all the measures proposed by the Mayor.

Not only is it anticipated that some of the Council will "get from under," but it is further said that there have been a strong probability that a majority are willing to resolve themselves into an insurgents' camp and oppose the city's executive on at least one important matter. The hint went out yesterday that the whole recall matter might be settled amicably even if by a majority of the Council voting to employ "eminent counsel" to get a legal opinion on the water matter—the one thing that the Board of Trade has been fighting for and the Mayor, City Attorney and Council have refused to do.

Dropped of all specious or irrelevant matters it appears that the refusal of the city's officials to agree to secure the assistance of eminent legal advice on the water matter was the last straw that brought many men to believe that the recall was the only recourse left in the intricate and highly satisfactory matter. Therefore if a majority of the Council would now vote to employ such legal assistance the bone of contention would be done away with; that is, it might be done away with under the favorable influence of one or two other members.

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Nevertheless there is a chance at least that the Council may vote in the manner suggested and if they do, at least would save them from the threatened fate of the Mayor, and, with his consent, end the whole matter of proceedings.

It is admitted that all this talk is only guesswork and mostly made by those who are willing to go to extreme lengths to avoid the "humiliation" of a recall.

Even men back of the recall petitions are ignoring all this talk and emphasize their announcement that the recall proceedings will be gone ahead with just as if there was not the slightest chance or hint of the city administration giving in on the important matters.

The committee of five men back of the recall last night named a committee of one hundred men, instead of five, who will be in charge of the campaign. Three-fourths of these men are to act, while most of the other fourth could not be seen last night. The committee of one hundred will meet at the Board of Trade rooms this Friday night.

MAY EFFECT COMPROMISE.

The question of settling the question of alleged foul in the chariot races on New Year's day seems to be getting somewhat as bad a tangle as the vexed water matter, but the Tournament directors have appointed Frank V. Rider, treasurer, a committee of one to try to reach a settlement. Some compromise may be made, but if this is done without an investigation of the charges it is feared there is little doubt there is fear that the whole matter may be left in unsatisfactory shape.

An announcement is made by George P. Adams, secretary of the association, that a profit was realized by the recent tournament. This is less than was expected, Mr. Cary, who worked hard for the success of the three months, gave his services gratis.

HORSE SHOW PRICES.

The prices for admission to Tournament of Roses and for admission to the Horse Show in March have been fixed. The show will last for three days and the general admission is set at 50 cents. Grand-stand seats, including admission for any day, are placed at $1, while box seats will be sold for the purpose of selling a box for one day, at $2 each. A box for one day, with the general admissions, is set at $5, while the same box for the three days is held at $25. For admission of vehicles an admission fee of 50 cents will be charged, and each occupant must pay a like amount.

ESTABLISHES A PRECEDENT.

Louis Medici de Biron, the Parisian who struck a rooster while riding his motorcycle, was barely scratched, is more about yesterday, though his wrists are painful rather than serious. Last night Dr. De Biron said he would not bring suit against the owner of the fowl, inasmuch as he has to pay for the damage done to the motorcycle. The veterinarian also claims that the rooster had no right on the public highway and that the fowl's owner was liable for the damage resulting from the collision, while the rooster's owner agreed that in case it has been the automobile or the riders who have footed the bills for collisions with chickens or animals on the highways, but Dr. De Biron has set a new precedent.

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The sudden rush of tourists has set in during the past few days, and yesterday the big hotels were crowded, and, in fact, that one of them

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It is anticipated that some member will "get from under," and it is further said that there now exists a strong probability that a number are willing to resolve themselves into an insurgents' camp and thereby relieve the city's executive on at least one important matter. The hint went out yesterday that the whole recall matter might be settled amicably even though a majority of the Council voted to employ "eminent counsel" to obtain legal opinion on the water matter. The one thing that the Board of Trade has been fighting for and the City Attorney and Council have tried to do. Because of all specious or irrelevant matters it appears that the real object of the city's officials to agree to obtain the assistance of eminent legal counsel on the water matter was to see that brought many men believe that the recall was the only course left in the intricate and highly satisfactory matter. Therefore if the majority of the Council would now agree to employ such legal assistance as counsel of contention would be satisfied with; that is, it might be settled with under the favorable auspices of one or two other important matters.

Almost all the men now in favor of the recall might consent to this only if they were given a voice in designating attorneys and in formulating the statement of facts upon which an opinion is to be given. But it is believed the Mayor would veto any such action of the Council, so that there is little hope that any amicable settlement of the matter may be made.

However there is a chance at present that the Council may vote in the manner suggested and if they do, it would save them from the fate of the Mayor, and with his consent, end the whole proceedings.

It is admitted that all this talk is mere camouflage and mostly made by those who are willing to go to extreme lengths to avoid the "humiliation" of recall.

Back of the recall petitions and all this talk and emphatic announcement that the recall proceedings will be gone ahead with, is the belief that if there was not the slightest chance or hint of the city Council giving in on the important matters of five men back of the movement last night named a committee of one hundred men, instead of three, who will be in charge of the campaign. Three-fourths of these men have not yet, while most of the other fifty-odd could not be seen last night. The committee of one hundred will meet at the Board of Trade rooms tonight.

EFFECT COMPROMISE.

The question of settling the question of fool in the chariot races on Tuesday seems to be getting more and more of a tangle as the vexed question, but the Tournament directors appointed Frank V. Rider, Jr., a committee of one to make a settlement. Some compromise must be made, but if this is not the case an investigation of the affair there is fear that the whole matter will be left in unsatisfactory shape.

Announcement is made by George P. Adams, secretary of the association, that the deficit caused by the recent tournament will be less than was expected. This is largely due to Dr. Cary, who worked hard for several months, gave his services free.

HORSE SHOW PRICES.

The prices of admission to Tournament week for the Horse Show in March have been fixed. The show will last three days and the general admission will be 50 cents. Grand-stand seats, including admission for any day, $1. Box seats will be $2 each. A box for one day, including general admission, is set at $10. The same box for the three days is set at $25. For admission of automobiles an admission fee of 50 cents will be charged, and each occupant will pay a like amount.

SETS A PRECEDENT.

Count Medici de Biron, the man who struck a rooster with his motorcycle, was barely injured about yesterday, though his wrists are painful rather than serious. Tonight Dr. De Biron said he will bring suit against the owner of the fowl, inasmuch as he has to pay for the damage done to his machine. The veterinarian alleges that the rooster had no right on the public highway and that the rooster's owner was liable for the damage resulting from the collision. The rooster's owner agreed that this is the correct legal principle. There has been the automobile or motorcycle with chickens or animals on the highways, but Dr. De Biron sets a new precedent.

PASADENA PICKINGS.

The number of tourists has set in the past few days, and yesterday the big hotels were crowded. It is a fact, that one of them had difficulty in finding room for all its guests.

The Pasadena Typographical Union has issued a circular letter to merchants bitterly "knocking" the project of a third evening newspaper for this city. Such a paper is to be established soon, and because it will in all probability be non-union the printers are saying bad things about its management.

Visit Kuranaga's Dragon Tea-room delicious Japanese dishes served.

Pictures framed at Wadsworth's.

Indian Baskets, 46 N. Los Robles.

Bibles at Morris-Thurston Co.

WAR LIKELY IN OCEAN PARK.

FIGHT IS IN PROSPECT OVER VENICE ATTRACTIONS.

Accusations That They Wear the Kinney Collar, as Directed Against Some of the City Trustees, Result in Bitter Resentment on the Part of the Officers Who are Attacked.

OCEAN PARK, Jan. 18.—Scabbards no longer sheath the sharp points of the swords, and the cry for peace and a united beach has been succeeded by active preparations for war. The promise is for war to the knife, and the knife to the hilt.

The Venetian forces, led by Abbot Kinney, have met the enemy who would knock the transplanted Adriatic city and the proud bird of victory is temporarily aperch on the banners of the Doge. The first open skirmish occurred when the City Trustees met Tuesday and couriers report that another engagement is imminent next Monday evening. The decisive battle, however, is not expected to be fought until the electors gather about the polls next April, when three members of the board are to be elected.

The attack Tuesday came when the City Trustees were discussing in executive session the proposed amendment to the vocation license ordinance. From this meeting, for the first time in the history of the municipality, the reporters and public were not excluded. It having evidently been determined that secret sessions were obnoxious. Before the Kinney company secured the Portland Trail attractions for the Venice Midwinter Carnival it was tacitly understood that city licenses would not be exacted form each and every one of the shows. The proposed amendment to the ordinance was calculated to so adjust the matter that one blanket license might cover the entire project.

Opposing this friendly treatment of the Venice attractions appeared representatives of the improvement company, arch enemies of Kinney, who accused the Trustees who expressed a desire to encourage the Venice enterprise, as wearers of the Kinney collar. The soft impeachment was not mildly resented by Trustees Burks, Robinson and Parker, who recorded their votes on every proposition directly against the plans of the improvement company. It was sought to pour oil on the troubled waters by moving that the entire license ordinance be repealed, but before that action could be taken, a motion to adjourn had prevailed and the entire matter rests as it did before, with ominous indications that hereafter the only business on the beach from which a license will be exacted will be the drumshop.

Navy boys at "Hotel del Coronado."

BURNS TWO AT ALAMITOS BAY.

LONG BEACH MEN INJURED BY DISTILLATE EXPLOSION.

Both Leap Into the Bay and Quench Flames Enveloping Their Clothing, Then One Helps Other Out of the Water—Question Again Whether City Pier is Public Street.

LONG BEACH, Jan. 18.—Thomas Geen, a machinist, and George Russell, a helper, were frightfully burned this morning by the explosion of a distillate tank.

Both men live in this city, Geen on Bishop street and Russell on Olive, but are employed in a machine shop at Alamitos Bay.

A fifty-gallon distillate tank supposedly empty, had been brought in for repairs and the men were soldering it, when the tank exploded and in an instant the men were flooded with burning oil and their clothing on fire in a dozen places.

Without hesitation, both men sprang from the shop and leaped into the waters of the bay, extinguishing the flames and doubtless saving their lives.

Russell, who was the least injured, assisted Geen to shore, where both men soaked themselves with crude oil, and then without waiting for a car, struck out across country for home, where physicians were summoned and their sufferings relieved.

Geen is terribly burned about the face, neck and hands and his eyes are burned, though how serious is not as yet known. He perhaps owes his life to the fact that he wore a wool sweater, which burned slowly.

Russell escaped with bad burns on one arm and wrist, his other injuries being superficial.

TURNS IN REALTY.

In the past twenty-four hours deals for Long Beach real estate have been closed aggregating over $300,000. In each case is promise of substantial improvements running well up into six figures. The most important transfer was the purchase by the Townsend-Dayman Investment Company from the Seaside Water Company of a block on the beach between the bluff and Seaside boulevard and on the west side of the pier approach. The property has a frontage of 182 feet on the pier and seventy-four feet on Seaside boulevard. The stated consideration is over $100,000. The purchasers assert their intention to make the land an income producer by high-grade improvements. They have legal advice that the pier is a continuation of Pine avenue and as it runs along their property line, the value of a business block there can be appreciated, though undoubtedly strong opposition will result from the people, who do not believe that their public pier should be made a business thoroughfare.

LONG BEACH BREAKERS.

City Engineer Foster has completed plans for a sewer system for the property owners on the beach from Golden to Alamitos avenues. The plans contemplate a sewer a mile long of eight-inch vitrified pipe running into two sump holes of 1000 gallons each, provided with automatic electric pumps to raise the sewage to the main system on top of the bluff, from where it runs to the septic tank for purification. The estimated cost is $16,000, which will be paid by abutting property owners.

The City Trustees failed to get together yesterday and much important business is delayed until Monday. Trustees Cate and Campbell were present, but Mayor Eno is suffering from grip. Trustee Losee pleaded important business and Trustee Oakford is still in San Francisco on business of the State Pharmacy Board.

The general committee of the Chamber of Commerce has completed arrangements for entertaining the Oregonians and Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce Saturday afternoon. The visitors will be met at the Salt Lake station by the local Chamber of Commerce and the Donatelli band, which will later give a special concert at the auditorium. Special courtesies will be extended at the bath-house and an automobile ride will be given to the visitors, covering the entire city. At the Auditorium each visitor will be presented a bleeding tooth shell souvenir.

Temporary quarters for the new Chamber of Commerce have been secured at rooms Nos. 224-224½ Bixby building, where Secretary Miller can be found at all times.

Mrs. Nettie Clark, aged 24, died here this morning of blood poisoning. A widower and two children are left.

Owing to the illness of D. E. Travis, charged with illegal sale of intoxicants, the case has been postponed until Monday.

Interviews with hotel and lodging-house proprietors show that rooms are all taken and the general opinion is that there are more tourists in Long Beach than ever before in the history of the city.

Coronado society auto run 25th.

POMONA.

LANDMARKS CLUB DOINGS.

POMONA, Jan. 18.—The ladies of the landmarks section of the Pomona Ebell met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. L. Wright on Holt avenue. The programme consisting of presentations of subjects of historical interest to California. Mrs. F. D. Crank spoke upon the history of Tehama and Glenn counties in the gold mining days; Mrs. Mabel Dills spoke upon some incidents in State history enacted in Butte and Sierra counties; Mrs. H. L. Armstrong considered noted women of California; Mrs. Niedermeyer handled the subjects of California Industries carried on by women. Mrs. George Edwards discussed California laws which affect the status of women. Miss Sarah M. Jacobus, librarian of the public library, was present and addressed the club upon the importance of the movement started by the library to secure and classify all printed matter and reports dealing with the history of this locality and requested the club to aid the work as much as possible.

POMONA JOTTINGS.

Mrs. Marie Giffin Perkins and son of San Francisco are expected here soon to visit O. F. Giffin and family.

Rev C. P. Wilson of Tempe, Ariz., is here for a week visiting his family.

J. E. Patterson will return soon from a trip to Toronto, Canada.

Mrs. C. I. Lorbeer conducted a parliamentary drill at the meeting of the W.C.T.U., held this afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Poston has been called to Los Angeles by the illness of her father, Dr. J. H. Dunn.

Coronado society auto run 25th.

GLENDORA.

GOING FOR MORE WATER.

GLENDORA, Jan. 18.—To insure an abundance of water for this rapidly-developing community, the Western Water and Power Company has contracted with J. W. Smith of San Bernardino to sink a fourteen-inch well to a depth of 750 feet, if necessary, while the Glendora-Azusa Water Company has arranged with D. M. Towne of Chino to put down an eighteen-inch well.

TALK ON BIRDS.

Prof. Joseph Grinnell of Throop Polytechnic Institute, Pasadena, addressed the last meeting of the Glendora Farmers' Club, held at the home of T. W. La Fetra, on a number of the more common birds of California, using for illustration the choice collection of mounted specimens owned by Miss Hilda Wood. Readings were given by Mrs. Wolcott La Fetra and Mrs. J. P. Englehardt.

Navy boys at "Hotel del Coronado."

REDLANDS.

INSPECTION OF CO. G.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

REDLANDS, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The annual inspection of Co. G., N.G.C., held here this afternoon and evening, was conducted by Col. Thomas Wilhelm, Assistant Inspector General N.G.C. and Major in the United States Army; Lieut. Charles H. Howland, aide-de-camp, First Brigade, and J. A. Alexander of the Adjutant General's office at Sacramento. The inspection of the company's property was highly satisfactory. Muster showed an attendance of forty out of a membership of fifty. Ten were absent on account of illness. The visiting officers were accompanied by Brig.-Gen. Robert Wankowski of Los Angeles and Col. S. H. Finley of Santa Ana.

REDLANDS BRIEFS.

The delegation from the Chicago Commercial Association, numbering seventy, which is touring Southern California in private cars, will arrive in this city tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. The visitors will be met at the train by the members of the reception and entertainment committee of the Board of Trade and given a drive over Smiley Heights and other show places of Redlands. Following the drive an informal reception will be tendered them at the Board of Trade rooms. The delegation will go from here to Riverside.

The Pioneer Fruit Association, which has been doing business from Los Angeles for a year past, has decided to make Redlands its principal place of business in the future and will immediately erect packing-houses at this place.

The Board of Trade held a public meeting last evening in the Contemporary Clubhouse, at which addresses were made by representative citizens. Views of Redlands were thrown on a screen and there was a fine musical programme. The attendance was large.

WHITTIER.

STATE SCHOOL NOTES.

WHITTIER, Jan. 18.—Charles Sing, a full-blooded Chinese youth, who has been a cadet at the Whittier State School for the past two years, and having served part of that time in the printing office as a student, is now working at the trade on a Whittier newspaper. Charley is a remarkably bright youth, and is, so far as known, the first Chinese printer on an American newspaper.

Next Sunday will be "programme" day at the State school, at which time the public will be admitted to the assembly hall to hear the children render music, song and recitation. Visitors are not admitted to the grounds on Saturdays or Sundays, except to these semi-monthly sacred concerts. Following the concert there will be the regular Sunday afternoon dress parade, followed by an open-air band concert.

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Rheumatism Cure relieves pains in legs, arms, back, stiff or swollen joints in a few hours. Positively cures in a few days. Contains no morphine or drug to deaden the pain, but neutralizes the acid and drives out all rheumatic poison from the system. MUNYON.

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Embroidery Remnants at Half

Pretty wide embroideries; broken lots and short ends of embroideries in widths from 1 inch to 20 inches; various lengths up to 3 yards long; a good collection for Friday, "SOMETHING DOING" day, priced at exactly half.

"SOMETHING DOING"

The 5th STREET Store

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A big collection of remnants of plain and fancy silks, of dress goods, flannels, etc.; all kinds of lengths, styles, colors and qualities; suitable for skirts, waists, whole dress and children's dresses; priced for "SOMETHING DOING" day at about half value.

Friday, "Something Doing" Day

Straight Front Corsets 25c

Good assortment of straight front corsets; bias gored models; made of coutil, medium length; full bust; well boned and trimmed; practically all sizes; on sale "SOMETHING DOING" day at 25c.

Always interesting because never the same—always appealing to the thrifty instinct which everyone should have—always affording great opportunities to save—these "SOMETHING DOING" days are more and more becoming a factor in the economic life of Los Angeles. The successful issue of each one of these days spurs us on to greater efforts, and brings greater advantages to you. A rare bunch of bargains is listed for today. Remnants, short lines, broken sizes, odd lines to be cleaned up, many underpriced lots of various kinds, all grouped together at startling reductions for the great weekly cleanup. Saving and satisfaction go hand in hand here. Do not miss either through failure to be here today.

Odd Lot of Women's Neckwear 25c Values 5c

Lace stock collars, made in a variety of pretty new designs, with and without tabs; also a lot of embroidered turnover collars and band collars, of all shapes and widths; worth up to 25c; on sale "SOMETHING DOING" day, specially priced, each, 5c.

"SOMETHING DOING" IN NOTIONS

5c pearl buttons, per dozen 2c
5c needle point pins, per paper 2½c
19c White and check elbow length cuffs 12½c
5c "Best" sewing silk, per spool 2c
25c shell hair pins, per box 15c
10c needle books, 80 assorted needles 2½c
15c tooth brushes, all shapes and sizes 8c
25c hose supporters, all colors 15c

35c Tapestry Pillow Covers 15c

24 inches square; made of good quality tapestry; pretty designs; made with tassel on each corner; worth regularly 35c. On sale "SOMETHING DOING" day, each, at 15c.

75c Ruffling 10c per Piece

Chiffon, satin and silk ruffling; 1 inch to 5 inches wide; all colors; remnants and 1 and 1½ yards longs; worth up to 75c. On sale "SOMETHING DOING" day, per remnant, at 10c.

$1.50 NOTTINGHAM CURTAINS 95c

White and Arabian color curtains; 54 inches wide, 3 yards long; best buttonhole stitched edges; worth $1.50; on sale "SOMETHING DOING" days, per pair, at 95c.

$2.00 Sample Lace Curtains 17c Each

Curtains, 1½ and 1¾ yards long, 54 inches wide; odd curtains; make excellent sash curtains; made to sell for $2.00 per pair; on sale "SOMETHING DOING" day, each, 17c.

20c Table Oil Cloth 10c

Best grade table oil cloth, 45 inches wide, in a great variety of patterns, colorings and designs; worth 20c; on sale "SOMETHING DOING" day, per yard, at 10c.

12½c Silkolines 5c

Mill ends of figured silkolines, in lengths from 1 to 10 yards; a beautiful line of new patterns in an unlimited variety; worth 12½c; on sale "SOMETHING DOING" day, per yard, at 5c.

Women's and Misses Coats $3.98

¾-length coats for misses and women; Empire effects, in black and white, blue, brown, gray, mannish mixtures; children's short and full length coats, made in a variety of pretty styles; in covert, meltons and cravenette cloths; values up to $8.50. On sale "Something Doing" day, $3.98.

$10.98 Rain Coats $7.48

Full length rain coats for women and misses; fitted backs, double-breasted collarless effects; pin stripes, checks and invisible plaids; a few blouse styles in the lot; regular values up to $10.98. On sale "Something Doing" day at $7.48.

Women's Tailored Suits $9.98—Values up to $18.50

Good variety of long coated effects; fitted or semi-fitted, and Peter Thompson styles; fancy skirts, made from Cheviots, Panamas, Cloths, Serges; values up to $18.50. On sale "SOMETHING DOING" day at $9.98.

$3.48 Women's Skirts $1.98

Strictly all wool suitings; pretty shades; splendid quality, light effects; also all wool serges; trimmed with bands; properly fitted; worth $3.48. On sale "Something Doing" day at $1.98.

Odd Sample Waists 98c

Slightly mussed and soiled from being handled; made of lawns, swisses and mulls; variety of new styles; plain tailored and elaborately trimmed; button in front and back; $2.00 values. On sale "Something Doing" day at 98c.

$1.48 Flannelette Kimonas 98c

Kimonas and dressing sacques; slightly mussed from being shown; in light and dark colors; well made and finished; values to $1.48. On sale "Something Doing" day at 98c.

$6.00 Silk Waists $3.98

Taffetas and peau de soies in plain and fancy colors; full fronts and large fancy sleeves; lined and unlined; values to $6.00. On sale "Something Doing" day at $3.98.

Friday—Remnant Day in Domestics

12½c Remnants of Percales 8½c

Mostly dark colors; 1 to 10-yard lengths; worth 12½c; on sale "SOMETHING DOING" day, per yard, at 8½c.

12½c Outing Flannel Remnants 7½c

10 to 20-yard lengths, in light desirable colorings; heavy material; worth 12½c; on sale "SOMETHING DOING" day, per yard, at 7½c.

Remnants of Chambrays 7c

1 to 10-yard lengths; all colors; best quality only; on sale "SOMETHING DOING" day, per yard, at 7c.

Remnants of Table Damask

Odd napkins, toweling, white dress goods, sheeting, etc.; all best qualities; priced for "SOMETHING DOING" day at about half price.

Women's Cotton Hose

25c Values 15c

A few dozen dark colors only and a big collection of fast black full seamless cotton women's hose with colored silk embroidered fronts; 25c quality; on sale "SOMETHING DOING" day, per pair, 15c.

35c Boys' and Girls' Union Suits 17c

Union suits for either boys or girls; fleeced lined, Jersey ribbed cotton, small sizes; 35c values; on sale "SOMETHING DOING" day at 17c.

25c Women's Underwear 23c

Jersey ribbed, fleeced lined, cream color; drawers only; a few dozen pure white in the lot; well made drawers; 35c quality; on sale "SOMETHING DOING" day at 23c.

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In placing this tract on the market, my effort has been to offer as good if not the very best value obtainable for the money.

I want that every purchaser of a lot in this tract should make a handsome profit on the investment and believe that the most conservative buyer will agree that this end has been accomplished.

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RECOMMEND FOR OUTER BAY.

SAN PEDRO COMMITTEE PASSES ON OUTER HARBOR QUESTION.

Its Report is Unanimously Adopted at Mass Meeting of Citizens and Will be Presented to the Board of City Trustees at Next Meeting of That Body.

SAN PEDRO, Jan. 18.—The committee of the citizens, appointed at a mass meeting on Tuesday evening for the purpose of considering the proposition of Lieut. Miner to improve the outer harbor, conferred with Messrs. George Denis, attorney, and Gervais Purcell, consulting engineer, representing Lieut. Miner, this afternoon and discussed the matter as presented to the Board of Trustees.

The committee tonight reported to another mass meeting in the City Hall, which report embodies the changes granted by Lieut. Miner, which changes are favorable to the city.

The report submitted by the committee recommends:

First—That a quit-claim deed to the area requested by the company be granted.

Second—That the lines to be followed by the boundary of the proposed extension should be designated in the petition, the city reserving to itself the land to be reversed, including the 100-foot boulevard, and the 1000 linear feet of bulkhead, 200 feet deep.

Third—The company agreeing to construct the bulkhead, and to fill in the land for the bulkhead and boulevard, as shown on the map, and to convey whatever interests they may have acquired in the land to the city of San Pedro free of charge.

Fourth—The city of San Pedro to reserve the right to grant franchises over any streets or roads that may be constructed over the said property, leading to any bulkhead, warehouse or drydock to be constructed by the company asking for said franchise.

Fifth—Work to be commenced at the time agreed upon, and to continue from day to day until completed, or deed shall be considered forfeited.

Sixth—All locations of streets to be left to the consideration of the engineering department of the company, and the city engineer of the City of San Pedro, acting in conjunction.

The following citizens composed the committee: W. H. Savage, Winfield Hogaboom, W. H. Hyatt, J. E. Logan, Frank Karr, S. M. Storer, J. V. B. Goodrich, L. Hansen, Luke Kellogg and James Dodson.

The report of the committee was unanimously adopted and the same committee was appointed to wait upon the Board of Trustees at its meeting next Tuesday evening and state the action of this meeting and urge the granting of the deed as requested by Lieut. Miner, with such safeguards and concessions as proposed by the committee.

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ANAHEIM.

PRISONER CONFESSES FELONY.

ANAHEIM, Jan. 18.—Marshal Steadman has arrested Ed Mants, wanted at Washington, Kan., on a charge of rape. He was traced here bwy the fact that a friend is said to have resided here recently, and a reward of $25 was offered for his arrest. Steadman received notice from Sheriff Correll of Washington county, Kan., of the crime charged to the fugitive with a description of the man. Mants has only been here a few days and has been employed with a gang of cement workers on Olive street. He was hired under his true name. The Marshal recognized him by his description and placed him under arrest, the man admitting his crime. He is in jail and it is said Sheriff Correll will arrive here in a few days for the prisoner.

MILITARY CADETS STRIKE.

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Dixon, Ill., says thirty cadets of the Rock River Military Academy went on a strike yesterday. The boys charge Maj. Floyd, the commandant, with severe and cruel treatment. The trouble began two or three days ago, when Maj. Floyd struck a young cadet, it is claimed. All the cadets resented such discipline on the part of their commandant and refused to be satisfied unless a meeting of the trustees was called and some action taken. The trustees upheld Maj. Floyd.

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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	42	30	36	New York	42	30	36
Washington	46	34	42	Buffalo	38	28	33
Pittsburgh	50	38	44	Cincinnati	52	34	43
Chicago	40	34	37	St. Paul	28	16	22
St. Louis	56	38	47	Kansas City	52	38	45
Los Angeles	66	44	55	Jacksonville	62	32	47

*The maximum is for day before yesterday; the minimum for yesterday. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Jan. 18.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.96; at 5 p.m., 29.92. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 52 deg. and 64 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 96 per cent.; 5 p.m., 94 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 6 miles. Maximum temperature, 65 deg. Minimum temperature, 51 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Showers this afternoon, tonight and Friday. Brisk southerly winds.

Weather Conditions.—A storm has entered the North Pacific Slope since the issue of Wednesday's map and is central north of Washington. The rain area covers the Pacific Slope except in the extreme south and the Rocky Mountain regions of Nevada. The pressure is falling materially west of the Rocky Mountains and the low-pressure area has a deep extension to Southern Nevada, with a ridge of relatively high pressure on the southern coast. Showers may be expected in this vicinity this afternoon, tonight and Friday, with brisk southerly winds. The storm central Wednesday morning in Montana and North Dakota is now central over Lake Ontario with a rain area extending from the Upper Mississippi Valley to the Middle Atlantic and New England States. Southwest storm warnings are displayed at Port Los Angeles, Redondo and San Pedro, by direction of the District Forecaster.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The following are the seasonal rainfalls to date, as compared with those of same date last season, and rainfall in last twenty-four hours:

	Last twenty-four hours.	This season.	Last season.
Red Bluff	1.02	9.43	17.71
Sacramento	.74	7.74	11.04
San Francisco	.52	6.67	11.74
San Jose	.18	5.38	8.57
Fresno	.51	3.39	6.45
Independence	.04	2.54	.62
San Luis Obispo	.54	4.27	7.32
Los Angeles	.32	5.06	5.11
San Diego	trace	4.32	4.73

River Stages—Marysville, 19.4, rising; Sacramento, 22.3, rising; Oroville, 20.5, rising; Colusa, 28.1, rising; Red Bluff, 17.5, rising; Tehama, 12.7, rising; Knight's Landing, 15.3, rising; Waterford, 9.8, falling; San Joaquin Bridge, 11.1, rising slowly.

A very severe storm overlies the Pacific Slope. Very low barometer readings are reported in Northern California. Rain has been heavy in the Sacramento Valley. Warnings have been issued to many river points of dangerously high water Friday. Southwest storm warnings are flying along the entire California coast. Forecast:

San Francisco and vicinity: Showers Friday; brisk southwest winds.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Rain Friday; brisk southwest winds.

Sacramento and San Joaquin Valleys: Rain Friday; brisk south winds.

Coast: Rain Friday; brisk southwest wind.

Nevada: Snow or rain Friday; high south winds.

Arizona: Showers Friday and Saturday.

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FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $1,627,378.63. For the corresponding day of 1905, $1,179,867.47; for the same day of 1904, $655,197.25.

Clearings for the week:

Monday	$1,985,751.62
Tuesday	2,191,177.78
Wednesday	2,307,907.27
Thursday	1,627,378.49
Total	$7,921,740.56
Same, 1905	5,044,896.93
Same, 1904	5,767,798.37

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	$ 55½	$ .55½
Central	90.00	100.00
Columbia Oil	....	.17
Continental	.11	.13
Fullerton Consolidated	....	....
Fullerton Oil	.34	....
Gibbe	.06	.06
Home	1.00	1.50
Mexican Petroleum	.96	.99
Olinda Land Co.	.06½	.09
Pine Oil & Land Co.	....	....
Puente Oil Co.	.50	....
Reed Crude	.29	.30
Union	163.00	164.50
United Petroleum	279.00	....
Western Union	237.00	240.00

MINING STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Bisbee West Copper	$ .03	....
Bulfa B. & M. Co.	....	.05
Butte Lode	30.00	....
Golden Argus	14.00	25.00
Greene Consolidated	30.12	....
Hecla Mining Co.	.48	.51
Jessie Belle	.01	.02
Johnnie Can. Gold M. Co.	.04	....
Mohawk Mining	12.00	15.50
Nevada Chief	....	....
New Era	.04½	.10
Nevada-Keystone	.0004	....
Quartzite	11.00	13.00
Searchlight M. & M. Co.	.40	.44½

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	$116.00	....
Broadway Bank & Trust	111.00	....
Bank of Los Angeles	210.00	....
Central	180.00	....
Citizens' National	140.00	150.00
Commercial National	....	....
Dollar Savings Bank	140.00	150.00
Equitable Savings Bank	....	....
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l	225.00	....
Federal Bank of L. A.	115.00	125.00
First National	427.00	450.00
German-American	230.00	....
Home Savings Bk. of L. A.	75.00	....
Los Angeles National	....	....
Los Angeles Trust Co.	120.00	....
Merchants' National	430.00	....
Merchants' T. & S. Co.	95.00	....
Merchants' Trust Co.	....	99.75
Metropolitan B. & T. Co.	133.00	....
National Bank of Cal.	200.00	250.00
Security Savings Bank	250.00	....
Southern Cal. Savings	150.00	....
U. S. National Bank	120.00	....
Union Bank of Savings	185.00	....
State Bank & T. Co.	....	100.00

*50 per cent. paid up.

BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	96	97
Cal. Pacific Railway	....	103.
Corona City Water Co.	....	100
Electric Power & W. Co.	....	80½
Cucamonga Water Co.	....	101
Edison Electric Co. Con.	101	....
Edison Elec. Co (old issue)	100½	....
L. A. Pac. 1st Con. Mtgs.	110½	....
Home Tel., 1st ref.	92	95
Home Telephone, L. A.	94½	96
Home Telephone Co., Santa Monica	....	84
L. A. Electric Co.	100	....
L. A. Traction Co.	113	....
L. A. Traction Co.	107½	....
L. A. Ry. Co.	117¾	....
Mission T. & Ref. Co.	....	97
Mt. Lowe Railway	99	....
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co.	99	99
Pomona & O. L. & F. Co.	96	98
Pomona Con. Water Co.	....	101
Redondo H. T. & T. Co.	81	97
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	97½	98½
Riverside L. & P. Co.	95	100
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	80	85
Pacific Electric Ry. Co.	110	....
Pacific Light & P. Co.	100	....
Seaside Water Co.	95½	....
Santa Barbara Con. Ry.	95½	100
Temescal Water Co.	99	....
United Elec. G. & P. Co.	101	....
Union Trans. Co.	....	99
U. L. & D. T. & T. Co.	97½	99
Visalia Water Co.	....	99
Whittier H. T. & T. Co.	93½	94
Whittier Light & P. Co.	....	....

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Conservative Life Ins. Co.	175.00	....
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	....	40
California Hospital	85.00	....
Edison Elec. Co. pfd.	87.50	90.00
Edison Elec. Co. com.	45.50	49.00
Emergency Hospital	....	....
Home Telephone, L. A.	65.50	64.25
Home Tel. Co., com.	....	30.00
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co.	28.00	29.50
Redlands H. T. & T. Co.	....	90.00
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	50.00	51.87
S. Monica H. T. & T. Co.	26.50	27.00
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	18.00	20.00
Los Angeles Brewery	115.00	....
Los Angeles Jockey Club	80.00	....
Title G. & T. Co., pref.	120.00	....
Title L. & Trust pfd.	115.00	....
T. L. & T. com.	100.00	....
Sun Drug Co.	....	99
Seaside Water Company	94.00	....
U. S. D. T. & T. pfd.	58.00	60.00
Union Trust Co.	50.00	55.00

On the Los Angeles Stock Exchange yesterday there were no sales whatsoever made.

For Associated Oil stock, 53¾ bid, 55¾ asked; Central, 90 bid, 100 asked; Union, 163 bid, 164.50 asked; Western Union, 237 bid, 240 asked.

In mining stocks, for Butte Lode, 30 bid, none offered; for Hecla, 49 bid, 51 asked; for Jessie Belle, 1 bid, 3 asked; for New Era, 4½ bid, 10 asked.

In bank stocks, Merchants' Trust Company offered at 139.75; State Bank at 100, with 99 bid.

In the bond list, Associated Oil, 95 bid, 97 asked; Edison Electric, oil issue, 104½ bid, none offered; Los Angeles Home First Refunding bonds, 93 bid, 95 offered; Los Angeles Home, 94¾ bid, 96 offered; Pomona and Ontario, 95 bid, 98 asked; Pacific Light, 100 bid, none offered; U.S.L.D., 89½ bid, 92 offered; Visalia Water offered at 99, no bids.

In miscellaneous stocks, Edison Electric preferred offered at 85.50, 87.50 bid; common offered at 48, 45.50 bid; Los Angeles Home offered at 64.25, 62.50 bid; Riverside Home offered at 51.87, 50 bid; San Diego Home, 34 bid, 39 asked; U.S.L.D., 58 bid, 60 asked.

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CHEESE—At Anchor, 17½; Cal. Y. A., 18½; hand, 13½; Dom. swiss, 19@20; imp., 30½@32; northern, fresh, 15@16; northern, storage, 14½; eastern, daisies, 14½@15; Stiltons, 16; cheddars, 16; Longhorns, 16@17; Red Rand, 14½@15; N. Y. twins, 16@16½; singles, 16½; Wisconsin singles, 16@16½; large loaf, 13½; Rincon, 13.

BEANS—Pinks, No. 1, 2.50@2.65; No. 2, 1.25; Lady Washington, 3.50@3.75; small whites, No. 1, 3.00@3.15; small white, No. 2, 2.00@2.15; black eyes, 3.50@3.60; Limas, No. 1, 5.00@5.50; Garvanzas, 4.50@5.00; German lentils, 7.00@8.00; Mexican red, 3.50@3.75.

DRIED FRUITS—Choice to fancy evaporated apples, 10; apricots, 9½@9½; peaches, 9@10; pears, 11; fancy prunes, 9@10; choice, 8@8½; 100-lb. box, 8@9; 10-lb. box, 10; Turkish Arabian dates, 5½@6; figs, California, white, box, 6@7½; black, 1.25@1.40; Chieftain, 65; Sultanas, 1.90@2.00; Smyrna, 15@17 lb. box; Moscatels, 4-crown, 2.25 box.

NUTS—Almonds, paper-shells, 14; I. X. L., 80-lb. sacks, 15@16; N. P. U., 80-lb. sacks, 15@16; Drake seedlings, 10@12; Brazils, 13@14; filberts, 12@14; peanuts, 6½; eastern, fancy, 7½; fancy Japanese peanuts, 6; California, roasted, 8½; California, raw, 6@7; pecans, Jumbs, 15; large, 14½; four chestnuts, 12@14; Italian chestnuts, 12@13; walnuts, Cal., 14½; choice, No. 1, 16@18; No. 2, 9@10; Jumbo, 16½; hickory nuts, 8.

FRESH FRUITS—Grapes, Imperial, locals, 1 lb.; northern, 1.75@2.00 box; N. Y. T. pippins, 1.65@1.75; Bellefleurs, 1.85; storage Bellefleurs, 1.75@2.25; Spitzenberg, 2.50; fancy Gansu, 1.50@2.00; choice, 1.75; red Pearmains, 1.15@1.25; Jonathan, Colo., 2.50@2.50; Colo. Winesaps, 2.75@2.50; Missouri pippins, 2.50@2.75; Baldwins, 2.00; Winter Nellis pears, 4@5 lb.; guavas, 5@6; pomegranates, 5@7½; Japanese persimmons, 5@10 lb.

CITRUS FRUITS—Standard lemons, 1.25@1.35; bananas, 2@4½ per lb.; Reds, 8; fancy Padre grapefruit, seedless, 2.25@3.50; Padre, seedling, 2.25@2.50; choice, 1.25@1.50; pineapples, 4.50 crate; fancy navel oranges, 1.65@1.85; choice navels, 1.25@1.50; Tangerines, per ½-box, 1.00@2.00.

BERRIES—Strawberries, ——; Tropicos, 30@35; Cardenas, 15@25; cranberries, 14.50@15.00.

HONEY AND BEESWAX—Beeswax, per lb., 27; honey, extracted, water white, 6@6½; amber, 4½@5; light amber, 5; comb water white, 14@15; light amber, 12½; amber, 12½.

ONIONS—Northern Australian Browns, 1.75; fancy Oregons, 1.90@2.00; northern Yellow Danvers, 1.75.

POTATOES — Woodard Islands, 1.10@1.25; Burbanks, choice, 1.35; Salinas, fancy, 1.60@1.75; Salinas, choice, 1.50; Highland, fancy, 1.10@1.25; choice, 1.00@1.10; fancy Oregon, 1.60; choice, 1.15@1.25; Nevada, Burbanks, fancy, 1.15@1.25; Watsonville, 1.50; Palm Tracts, 1.15@1.25; Lompocs, 1.50; reds, 90; yellow Fullertons, 1.25@1.35 cwt.; Monterey, fancy, 1.50; Oregon Early Rose, 2.00; northern fancy Rose, 1.75.

GREEN VEGETABLES — Beets, 40; carrots, 25@30; fancy tomatoes, 50@75 crate; Hubbard squash, 1; parsley, 40@50; green onions, 15@20 doz.; string beans, 10@16; wax, 16@18; turnips, 25@40; peas, 6@6½; red radishes, 10@15 dozen; Japanese, 15@20; celery, 30@35; Limas, 14@16; cabbage, 65@75 sack; red cabbage, 75@1.00; cauliflower, 45@50; fancy green onions, 20@25 doz. spinach, 15@20; chiles, 15@16; red peppers, 15@20; Bell peppers, 10; leeks, 20@25; mustard, green, 20@30; lettuce, 35@50; eggplant, 12½@15; garlic, 6@8; summer squash, 1.25; sprouts, 6@7 lb.; chile peppers, evap., 10@20 lb.; chile, sundried, 18@20 lb.

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FRESH MEATS—Mutton, 9; ewes, 8½; lamb, 11; milk lamb, 12½; veal, 11; beef, steers, prime, 7; first, 7; second, 6½; third, 5½@6; pork, 8.

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SUGAR.—Prices are based on sacks of 100 lbs. 100s, 50s, 25s; 10s, 25c; boxes 50s, 25-lb. sacks 10c cwt. higher. Beet, 5.50; cane, 4.95; fruit sugar, 5.70; Ext. C, 5.30; Golden C, 5.10; "D," 5.00; Magnolia "A," 5.30; tablets, ½ bbl., 6.20; tablets, boxes, 6.45; cubes, "A," crushed, 6.85; powdered, 5.80; western, conf. A, 5.70.

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—Wogan's maple syrup, 6-10, per case, 5.00; 15-5, per case, 5.40; 24-3, per case, 5.65; 26-2, per case, 5.90; Wogan's Cerro de Hatteria, 6-10, per case, 3.75; Wogan's Fancy Sorghum, 6-10, 12-5, per case, 4.15; 24-3, per case, 4.40.

HAY—No. 1 barley hay, 15.00@16.00; No. 2, 12.00@14.00; No. 1 wheat hay, 16.00; No. 2, 11.00@12.00; No. 1 plain oat hay, 17.00; No. 2, 12.00@14.00; northern alfalfa, 12.50; local, 14.00@16.00.

LUMBER MARKET.

PRICES CURRENT. Pine in the rough, ranging from 19.00 to 24.00, according to size. Rough uppers, 28.00@40.00; worked uppers (flooring), 25.00@40.00; stoping, 25.00@40.00; yesterday's arrivings were about an average at $1,637,357.63, nearly $500,000 more than on the corresponding day a year ago and $900,000 more than two years ago.

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LIVE STOCK — Hogs, 5½@6½ cwt.; cattle, steers, 4½@4½; cows, 3½; sheep, 3.00@4.00.

FLOUR AND FEEDSTUFFS — Flour, local mills, per bbl., 5.00; all eastern wheat, 5.25; wheat, 1.5@1.70; cornmeal, basis 10s, W. or Y., 2.20 per cwt.; graham flour, basis 10s, 2.50 cwt.; rolled barley, 1.40 per cwt.; cracked corn, 1.50 cwt.; corn, 1.45 cwt.; bran, 1.30 cwt.; feed meal, 1.40 per cwt.; red oats, California, 1.40@1.70; red oats, Texas grown, 1.85@2.00; cocoanut cake, 1.50 cwt.; shorts, 1.45 cwt.; chicken meal, 2.25 cwt.; white oats, 1.85@1.90 cwt.

SUGAR.—Prices are based on sacks of 100 lbs. 100s, 50s, 25s; 10s, 25c; boxes 50s, 25-lb. sacks 10c cwt. higher. Beet, 5.50; cane, 4.95; fruit sugar, 5.70; Ext. C, 5.30; Golden C, 5.10; "D," 5.00; Magnolia "A," 5.30; tablets, ½ bbl., 6.20; tablets, boxes, 6.45; cubes, "A," crushed, 6.85; powdered, 5.80; western, conf. A, 5.70.

MOLASSES AND SYRUPS—Wogan's maple syrup, 6-10, per case, 5.00; 15-5, per case, 5.40; 24-3, per case, 5.65; 26-2, per case, 5.90; Wogan's Cerro de Hatteria, 6-10, per case, 3.75; Wogan's Fancy Sorghum, 6-10, 12-5, per case, 4.15; 24-3, per case, 4.40.

HAY—No. 1 barley hay, 15.00@16.00; No. 2, 12.00@14.00; No. 1 wheat hay, 16.00; No. 2, 11.00@12.00; No. 1 plain oat hay, 17.00; No. 2, 12.00@14.00; northern alfalfa, 12.50; local, 14.00@16.00.

LUMBER MARKET.

PRICES CURRENT. Pine in the rough, ranging from 19.00 to 24.00, according to size. Rough uppers, 28.00@40.00; worked uppers (flooring), 25.00@40.00; stoping, 25.00@40.00; ceiling, 30.00@35.00; lath, carload lots, 4.00@4.50; less than carload lots, 4.00; Cl. O. P. finished, 40.00@45.00.

Redwood in the rough, 15.00@27.50; surfaced and rough, clear, 50.00; select lumber, rough edges, less than clear, per M., 2.00; rustic, 35.00@41.50; siding, 22.50@30.00; and G. and K. L. stock, 25.00@40.00; shingles, 2.40; shakes, 10.00@18.00.

Mill prices: Sizing, 1 edge, 1.50; sizing, 1 edge and surfacing, 1 edge, 2.00; surfacing, 1 to 4 sides, 2.00@4.00; resawing, 1 cut, 5.00; ripping, 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2-inch stock, per M. lineal feet, .75; ripping, 3-inch and up, per M. lineal feet, 1.50.

In estimating on large lots, these prices are somewhat reduced.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—The trading in stocks today for most of the time was not up to yesterday's rate of activity and the market fell into positive dullness at times. An excellent medium for marketing stocks was offered, nevertheless, and the profit-taking was industriously pursued under cover of the sustaining force of the strong features for trading. A number of dormant industrial stocks and specialties were awakened into activity and made prominent advances. Of the more substantial standard stocks the feature of the day was the renewal of the recent active speculation in Reading. The price was carried to a new record, above 169. Mean time there was conspicuous realizing in Union Pacific, Smelting and Lead, after rising to new record prices, were also subjected to severe quarterly. Next to these movements the most prominent in the railroad list were the Gould Southwestern, Missouri Pacific and Wabash, preferred jointly led the movement. The generally accepted explanation of this movement was that the group has been persistently laggard throughout the prolonged speculation which has extended to almost every other part of the market. Great interest centered in Amalgamated Copper all day, as action on the dividend was expected before the market closed. The directors had not been long in session before rumors began to fly about the stock existing with potent effect upon the movement of the stock. The general expectation was for a 1½-per-cent. dividend for the quarter, but after the assembling of the directors a false rumor was put in circulation that the dividend would be placed on a 7 or 8-per-cent. rate per annum. Amalgamated Copper, which sold as low as 116¾, shot up to 119¾ on enormous dealings, fell back to 118¾ and fluctuated violently. On the announcement of the dividend it dropped to 116, but closed at 117¾, a net decline of ¾. The late breaking in the stock unsettled the general list. Money continues to accumulate at this center and interest rates to-day were easier. The decline in the discount rate of the Imperial Bank of Germany by a full 1 per cent. showed the great relaxation of money at this center, and the strong weekly statement of the Imperial Bank bore out the showing. Foreign exchange here was firm and New York exchange at Chicago fell to 40 cents discount, as against the recently prevailing premium. Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, $5,256,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on call.

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg.	103¼	Jap. 4½s, cer.	94 91¾
U. S. R. 2s coup.	103¾	L. & N. Un. 4s	104
U. S. 3s reg.	102¾	Man. Con. G. 4s	103¾
U. S. 3s coup.	102	Mex. Central. 4s	79¾
U. S. Old 4s reg.	102	Mex. Cen. 1st Inc	25¾
U. S. Old coup.	103	Minn. & St. L. 4s	97
U. S. 4s reg.	129¾	M. K. & T. 4s reg.	102
U. S. 4s coup.	130¾	M. K. & T. 2nds	91
Am. Tob. 6s	115¾	Mex. Nat'l R'y. 4s	98
Atchison gen. 4s	103¾	N. Y. C. gen. 3½s	101¾
Atchison adj. 4s	94	N. P. 3s	76¾
Atlantic C. L. 4s	102	N. P. 4s	103¾
B. & O. 4s	104¾	Nor. & West. 4s	97¾
B. & O. 5½s	94½	O. R. L. 4

SHIPPING.

SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES.

...THURSDAY, JAN. 18.
...Coos Bay, Capt. Martin, 5 days from ... for San Francisco.
...Hueneme, 4 days from ...

...TUESDAY, JAN. 23.
...Capt. Smith, for ...
...Capt. Dugan, for Portland.
...Schuster, Capt. Bennett, ...
...Capt. Johnson, ...
...Capt. Ellefsen, for Ho...

...THURSDAY, JAN. 18.
...Wood wharf.
...Pac. wharf.
...Cal. wharf.
...Consolidated wharf.
...Dock, Berth 170, Cal. wharf.
...Pier 2, Santa Fe wharf.
...Pier 1, Stanford, E. K. Wood ...
...Ballast wharf.
...Pier 1, Berth 6, P. wharf.
...Bros. Co. wharf.
...Southern California wharf.
...Pier 2, Cal. wharf.
...Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.
...Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.
...E. K. Wood wharf.
...S. P. L. Co. wharf.
...Crescent wharf.

...FRIDAY, JAN. 19.
...Capt. Jamieson, for ...
...Steamer Coos Bay.
...for San Francisco and way ...
...Capt. Hansen, for Bellingham ...
...Dyea, Capt. Gundersen, ...
...Steamer Lakme, Capt. ...
...Steamer Norwood, Capt. ...
...Sunday, via San Francisco.
...Steamer Bonita, for San Francisco and way ports.

...AT THIS PORT.
...Dollar, from Aberdeen, via ...
...City, from Portland, via San ...
...Del Sud San Francisco and ...
...Bay, from Astoria, via San ...
...from Tacoma, via San Fran...
...from Eureka, via San ...
...from Bellingham, ...
...from Portland.
...for Port Gamble.
...from Everett.
...Cline from Ballard.
...from Aberdeen.
...from Tacoma.
...from Portland.
...Rustler, from South Bend.
...from Everett.
...from Olympia.
...from Seattle.
...from Aberdeen.
...Wood, from Aberdeen.
...from Port Blakeley.
...Home, from Port Hadlock.
...from Aberdeen.
...Johnson from Everett.
...Wilhelmina from Portland.
...Gerlik, from Marshfield.
...Alert, from Aberdeen.
...Bonita, from Aberdeen.
...E. Watson, from Aberdeen.
...Robert E. Hind, from Portland.
...Santa Rosa, from Everett.
...Queen H. Pinkham, from Tacoma.

...FROM FOREIGN PORTS.
...Maru Home, Capt. Hansen, 41 days ...
...steamer Catalina makes daily ... to Catalina Island and return.

...OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.
ARRIVED.
...C. Elliott and Nellie from Long ...
SAILED.
...C. Elliott and Nellie for Long ...
...for fishing tanks and re... for local wholesalers.

...BLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

	High.	Low.
...h B.....	4:38 a.m.	11:40 a.m.
.....	6:04 p.m.	10:57 p.m.
...h B.....	5:36 a.m.	12:44 p.m.
.....	7:16 p.m.	
.....	6:29 a.m.	11:57 a.m.
.....	6:06 p.m.	1:34 p.m.
.....	7:17 a.m.	0:54 a.m.
.....	8:26 p.m.	2:11 p.m.
.....	8:09 a.m.	1:42 a.m.
.....	9:34 p.m.	2:07 p.m.
.....	9:03 a.m.	2:36 a.m.
.....	10:12 p.m.	2:56 p.m.
.....	9:25 a.m.	3:03 a.m.
.....	10:15 p.m.	4:13 p.m.
.....	10:04 a.m.	2:44 a.m.
.....	11:23 p.m.	4:45 p.m.

...PORT ITEMS.
...Cloudy; wind southwest, ve...
...and freight steamer Coos Bay, ... yesterday from San ... and way ports with ... to Pacific Coast Steamship ...
...Nyman has succeeded A. Han... as master of the steamer Orion. W. S. ... has licensed as master of the schooner ... E. Wiese of the schooner ... C. Ehlerger of the schooner ... Capt. Frank Zoddart has re... of the steamer Santa Barbara. ... Jan. 16.—Arrived: Steam... Hartford; Santa Rosa, San ... San Pedro. Sailed: Steamer ..., San Diego.

REAL ESTATE RECORD

...RECENT TRANSFERS.

...THURSDAY, Jan. 18.
...Robert, lot 61, Grand View ... Blk A and C, block 1, Mon...
...Wallace to G W Bacon, lot 26, ... of block 38, San Pedro, $1000.
...Otis, Frank R Strong, ...
...Annie T Beach to ... lots 1 and 2, block 85, ... south Hollywood tract, ...
...W H Chamberlin, lot 15, ...
...Jesse M Chamberlin to Title ... Company, lot 4 and part ... Anderson's Woodlawn tract, ...
...Improvement Company to M G ... Los Angeles Improve... $10.
...Charlotte C. Cook, Gertrude ... Carroll to D W Cart... S. 1, N. 14 W., $10.
...Cutler to Edward ... Park Place, $10.
...Poole to Cora Lee Hoff... Charles Victor Heil ...
...L. Regan, lot 14, block ... subdivision of lots 9 and 20, ... to Sarah C Young, part ... Benedict & Sons subdi... lot 6, block F, Palmer ...
...H Curtis to R F Foss, ...
...K Wood and Emma ... Park Place, $10.
...Johnson to Horatio D ... R. block B, of subdi... Galbraith & Markham tract, ...
...Campbell to Horatio D ... tract; portion of lot ... Magee, Galbraith ...
...Abernethy to Amy L. ... E. 66 St Johns subdivision ... block J, San Pasqual ...
...Land and Water Company to ... lot 12, block 91, Artesian ...
...A F Christianson to Charles ... A. Harrison Lake avenue ...
...Irene E. Hurlbut to D P ... lot 184, Ford tract, ...
...Myers to P H Vedder, ... block 8, Merwin, lot 2, block ...
...block B, same, $10.
...C. Grimmler and J ... block F, McClarry tract, ...
...Grimmler to J M ... lot 32, block F, ...
...J M Koerner and Wil... same tract, $10.
...William Treder to ... lots 22 and 32, block ...
...James E Gardner, lot ... tract, $10.
...William to Sallie B Mc... same Home tract No 2, ...
...Simon M Jonathan, M ... Shepard and Mary G ... lot 7, block A, ...
...Joseph A Mathews, lots 14 ... Park, $10.
...Thomas Ida Reidy, lot 64, ...
...James B Goldmacher, ...
...Produce Receipts.
...SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—For ... 2252 barley, 200 sacks ... 2070; bran, 50; wine, 20,000 ... 50; hides, 90; hides, ...
...San Francisco Exchange.
...SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—Butter, ...
...Cure a Cold in One Day
...Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. ... money if it fails to cure. ... genuine on each box. 25c.

...Ordinary Savings Deposits. ... Loans on real estate.

Capital and Surplus, $630,000.00.
Total Assets, $14,000,000.00.

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Chas. H. Toll, Cashier.

Capital and Surplus, $800,000.00.
Total Resources, $9,500,000.00.

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W. Jarvis Barlow, ...
H. F. Stewart, ...
Charles Ewing, ...

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...SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—(Exclusive ... Adams, 12; Bullfrog Mines Co., ... Mining Co., 1; Bullfrog Nevada ... Bullfrog Standard, 2; Bullfrog ... Anchor, 15; MacNamara, Bullfrog ... Bell, 6; Montana, 2; Montana ... Montana, 299; Midway, ...
...Home, 31.
...Produce Receipts.
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CREDITORS' MEETING.

Coachella Valley Refrigerator Company Promises to Pay Debts During Rush of Summer.

Affairs of the Coachella Valley Refrigerator Company are in a peculiar condition as the result of several months of dull business. The standing of the company is being investigated by its local creditors, and a financial report was received yesterday.

There are heavy outstanding debts against the company. President Rector made a plain statement of the finances at a meeting of creditors held at the Board of Trade rooms.

The promise of a profitable season during the summer was offered as an inducement to give more time in which to recover from the present stagnation of financial affairs.

The winter months are said to be unprofitable, as the company has to allow much of its valuable machinery to lie idle and can only use a small force of men. They are also under a heavy expense.

President Rector declared that during June, July and August there is such brisk and profitable trade that all debts will be easily paid and a good profit will be netted.

Los Angeles capital to the amount of nearly $40,000 is interested in the big plant, and the question before the creditors is serious.

The glowing report of future wealth is such that the concern will probably be allowed to continue in operation in order to secure the summer trade. Such a decision was practically arrived at yesterday afternoon.

The company handles a large part of the early fruit that comes to the Los Angeles markets. Tons of melons are kept in cold storage for early delivery. Most of the business is done during the early summer months.

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State Bank and Trust Company N. W. Cor Second and Spring.	H. J. WOOLLACOTT, Pres. R. H. HOWELL, Vice-Pres. J. W. A. OFF, Cashier.	Capital.....$500,000 Surplus and profits 80,000
Citizens' National Bank N. E. Cor. Third and Spring.	R. J. WATERS, Pres. A. J. WATERS, Cashier.	Capital.....$200,000 Surplus and profits 150,000
Broadway Bank and Trust Comp'y 205-210 S. Broadway, Bradbury Bldg	WARREN GILLELEN, Pres. R. W. KENNY, Cashier.	Capital.....$250,000 Surplus and undivided profits 42,000
Central Bank N. E. Cor. Fourth and Broadway.	WILLIAM MEAD, Pres. W. C. DURGIN, Cashier.	Capital.....$100,000 Surplus and profits 100,000
Commercial National Bank of Los Angeles, 422 S. Spring st	W. A. BONYNGE, Pres. C. N. FLINT, Cashier.	Capital.....$200,000 Surplus and undivided profits 8,000
United States National Bank Cor. Main and Commercial Sts	ISAIAS W. HELLMAN, Pres. F. W. SMITH, Cashier.	Capital paid up $200,000 Surplus 65,000
Farmers & Merchants Nat'l Bank Cor. Fourth and Main sts.	I. W. HELLMAN, Pres. CHAS. SEYLER, Cashier.	Capital...$1,500,000 Surplus and profits 325,000
First National Bank S.E. Cor. Second and Spring.	J. M. ELLIOTT, Pres. W. T. HAMMOND, Cashier	Capital $1,250,000 Surplus 250,000 Undivided Profits 2,600,000
Merchants National Bank N. E. Cor. Second and Main.	HERMAN W. HELLMAN, Pres. W. H. HOLLIDAY, Cashier.	Capital.....$300,000 Surplus and profits 300,000

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AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the St. Andrew, J. M. Waterman and wife; at the Marie Antoinette, G. S. Holmes, Jr.; Albert, S. B. Chubb; Normandie, A. L. Johnson, N. G. Murphy; Breslin, D. J. Brownstein and wife; Darlington, O. C. Durrye.

AT SAN FRANCISCO HOTELS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] L. C. Schiller, H. R. Boynton, F. G. Lyon, B. N. Coffman, N. Stiles and wife, Charles R. Drake and E. H. Crippen are at the Palace Hotel.

Reserved seats only $1.00. For the great Shakespearean lectures. Do not fail to hear that peer of orators, Frederick Warde. Dobinson's Auditorium, every night this week at 8 o'clock. Saturday matinee, 2:15.

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800 yards at less than one-half price; are in good colorings of green, brown, navy and black grounds; the patterns stripes, woven figures, broken checks and corded checks; firm, durable weave; lustrous finish.

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Firm, durable materials for children's school dresses and [illegible] house wear; all the wanted colors; patterns stripes, Tartan checks and broken plaids. On special sale Friday only.

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40 pieces of fancy wool materials in Persian and broche [illegible] covered designs and small woven figures overshot with silk in different colors; are suitable for waists, dresses and [illegible] wear. On special sale Friday.

FRIDAY'S SURPRISES

Phenomenal Offering in Men's Hats

Comparison is Requested.

These are not $3.00 hats nor are they worth $2.50, but they are actual $2.00 values, and are better than those sold elsewhere at $1.00 for a special sale leader. They include blacks, pearls and neutral shades, and are of pure fur felt in new "Johnny Jones" and other popular styles for young men. Just to emphasize our motto, "What others advertise we sell for less," they will go on sale Friday while they last at, choice

79c

$30.00 Axminster Rugs for $19.95

$19.95

The greatest offering in floor coverings made in Los Angeles this season; sizes range 8 feet 3 inches by 10 feet 6 inches, up to 9x12 feet. They are fine Axminsters of heavy grade; some in handsome Oriental patterns; others floral designs. Some have two seams, others woven in solid pieces. The styles and colorings are suitable for any room, and every one of them is a $30.00 value. Priced for Friday only, choice.....

$19.95

THIRD FLOOR.

An Extraordinary Special In Trimmed Millinery

$7.50 Suit Hats at $1.95

For Friday only a large assortment of suit hats; none worth less than $5.00 and many up to $7.50; are all of the season's best styles; some hand-made of braid and velvet, and the material in any hat is worth more than double the sale price; a number of them are plain felt hats made up with velvet, trimmed with [illegible] flowers and wings; nearly all colors, [illegible] priced for Friday only, no alterations, [illegible]

$1.95

50c Ribbon Remnants, yard 5c

Thousands of short lengths of satin taffeta, messaline, gauze and velvet ribbons; black, white and colors; suitable for trimmings, hair ribbons, girdles and belts; values to 50c a yard; choice Friday, a yard..... 5c

35c Valenciennes Laces 10c

500 dozen Valenciennes laces and insertions; some in sets to match; others separate edges; thread and conventional designs; for trimming dresses and lingerie; values to 35c; Friday only, a dozen yarns..... 10c

65c Handkerchiefs at 15c

1000 Swiss, cambric and linen handkerchiefs; slightly soiled and mussed from window display; lace trimmed, hand embroidered, plain hemstitched and scalloped edges; dainty floral designs; values to 65c; choice Friday..... 15c

$3.00 Silk Ruffs at 75c

Of liberty silk and chiffon; white and cream; slightly mussed from handling and window display, but can be easily cleaned; as they are regular values up to $3 they are a decided bargain; Friday, choice..... 75c

Cleanup Sale Men's Clothing

Also featuring two good lines of boys' winter wearables. But look where you will, compare with any you see and you can not match them within one-half additional our present sale prices.

Men's $15.00 All Wool Suits

Are 3-piece all wool suits of Cassimeres, Cheviots and Tweeds; plain or fancy mixtures; coats have the long cut with deep vents and broad lapels; either single or double breasted styles; sizes 33 to 42. Reduced from $15.00 to, choice, $9.45.

$9.45

MEN'S $6.00 DRESS PANTS $2.98

Of fine all wool imported Worsteds, fancy Cassimeres and Cheviots with hairline stripes or pin checks; not all sizes of a kind but all sizes in the lot from 30 to 42 and are the broken lines of our regular stocks of $3.50, $4.00, $5.00, $6.00 and $6.50 values.

BOYS' $5.50 AND $4.00 SCHOOL SUITS $2.98

Double breasted and Norfolk styles for boys 9 to 16 years; not all sizes of a kind but all sizes in the lot; the materials wool Cheviots and Tweeds in serviceable patterns and colorings; every garment well tailored and the coats are finished with Italian cloth lining and bone buttons; regular $3.50 and $4.00 values. Second Floor.

MEN'S $15.00 TO $25.00 OVERCOATS..... $12.95

All wool overcoats of Vicunas, Kerseys, Oxfords and Meltons in black and gray mixtures; single breasted fly front style; 46 to 52 inches long; self or velvet collars; silk and wool Serge linings or all silk lined. Taken from our regular stocks of $15.00, $17.50, $20.00 and $25.00 values; sizes 38 to 46 for regulars and stouts.

$5.00 REEFERS AND OVERCOATS, CHOICE $2.45

For boys age 3 to 6 years only and are in plain blue and fancy mixed colorings in military style with brass buttons and embroidered monogram on sleeve; either reefers or overcoats and values up to $5.00. Second Floor.

89c for Women's $1.25 Kid Gloves

Friday only, a special offering in 2-clasp kid gloves; black, white and all the new spring shades; Cable sewed; are in all finger lengths and finished with three rows Cordell embroidery on back; every pair warranted and fitted; regular $1.25 values, at, choice..... 89c

WOMEN'S 25c PLAIN BLACK HOSE AT..... 19c

Of real Maco yarn, with the very best elastic top; have double soles, heels and toes; are full fashioned; are regular made and warranted to be equal to any 25c hose sold anywhere.

WOMEN'S 50c PURE LINEN FOOT HOSE..... 25c

A serviceable full fashioned, regular made stocking of plain black cotton, with pure Irish linen feet, which are the most comfortable and serviceable; have double soles, heels and toes, and are good values anywhere at 50c.

CHILDREN'S $1 WOOL UNDERWEAR AT..... 50c

Fine French ribbed wool vests; gray only; also flat vests, white or gray; all of them high neck, long sleeve. In the same lot are pants and drawers in ankle length to match. Reduced from $1.00.

WOMEN'S 75c FLEECED UNION SUITS AT..... 50c

Heavy fleeced cotton union suits; white or gray; high neck, long sleeve; ankle length; button down front or Onelta styles; neatly finished around neck, and are perfect form fitting garments that usually sell at 75c.

35c A Yard for Embroideries Worth to $1.50

5000 yards of demi-flouncing, insertion, allover embroideries and edges; for costumes, waists, children's dresses and Lingerie; many finished with single or double row of beading for the new corset covers; others copies of French hand embroidery; also eye-let effects; in floral, scroll and drawn work designs; values to $1.50. Choice Friday, a yard.....

35c

Cleanup Sale Suits: Coats: Wa

No price quite so low and no qualities positively as good where in the city as the garments which we have marked the Clean-up Sale, and will specially feature Friday.

$15.00 TAILOR MADE SUITS

Have three-quarter length coats trimmed with self strapping and satin lined to waist; the skirts plaited and correctly man-tailored; the colorings brown, blue or black, in popular [illegible] tiles. Reduced from $15.00 for Friday to, choice, $9.8

$9.8

$8.50 COVERT CLOTH COATS..... $5.95

22-inch fitted box front styles of a good quality Covert cloth; nicely lined; trimmed with silk around collars and cuffs; very jaunty jackets for general street wear.

WOMEN'S $15.00 FULL LENGTH ULSTERS..... $9.95

Stylish garments of fancy mixed all wool textiles; and made full length; are serviceable for traveling or for chilly mornings and evenings; the coloring is a pretty shade of dark gray. Reduced from $15.00.

$35.00 THREE-QUARTER LENGTH COATS AT..... $25

Are of an imported Covert cloth; light tan shade; have Panne velvet collars, and are trimmed with self strappings; are in the popular three-quarter length, and reduced from $35.00.

$2.50 EIDERDOWN DRESSING SACQUES.....

A choice assortment of [illegible] sacques; most of them [illegible] soiled from display. They [illegible] nearly all colors and sizes, [illegible] positively values up to $2.5 special sale Friday.

$7.50 KERSEY CLOTH COATS.....

The sizes are suitable [illegible] small women or misses. The [illegible] odd lots and broken lines [illegible] and $7.50 values, and are [illegible] quality Kersey.

$6.50 TO $8.50 SILK WAISTS. CHOICE.....

They consist of Taffetas, Peau de [illegible] China silks in all colors and [illegible] have sold at less than $5.00; some [illegible] up to $9.00. A few have not the [illegible] sleeves. For a quick clearance [illegible] at, choice, $2.98.

SECOND FLOOR.

IN DREAMY ALGECIRAS.

The Scene of the Conference on Moroccan Affairs.

Close to Gibraltar, and Its People Work There.

Picturesqueness of Quaint Old Spanish City.

[George Claretie, in Boston Transcript.]

Algeciras! I little fancied when long ago I visited that tiny Spanish city that it would ever become historic. And the shaven innkeepers I saw solemnly puffing their papelitos on their doorsteps as little imagined that all Europe would one day come hither to debate the charms of their chambers and the merits of their table d'hote. The year just passed was a veritable year of glories for the Spanish innkeepers. Those of Burgos had the eclipse and the convention of astronomers. They littered Europe with their illustrated prospectuses representing the historic monuments of the Burgos—the tomb of Cid, the cathedral and the monastery of Miraflores—while the peseta man boasted of the delightful drives and excursions that might make up for a disappointing eclipse if the sun was too covered with clouds to permit of astronomic observations.

And now it has come the turn of the Algeciras innkeepers to put forth their own prospectuses. Though they haven't any eclipse to offer, they can nevertheless invite all Europe to come to them. For this time Europe has no intention of peeping through the telescope, but plans instead to discuss the little white patch that can be seen on clear days from the head of the Bay of Algeciras and to talk of the minute corner of Africa, which has long made a tremendous noise in the world and bears the name of Tangier. "Tanger-danger" I called it a few months ago; "the other Tanger" the Kaiser called it only yesterday.

Burgos had its savants, but for a while it seemed that Algeciras was to miss getting its diplomats. Accordingly the innkeepers got together and held a congress of their own. They protested loud and long. People were afraid of their hotels, but they insisted that their delightful inns were quite worthy of sheltering the great ones of Europe. Surely if Europe dreaded those fondas Europe was hard to please.

For this is in truth a most entrancing nook of Spain, this little Andalusian city. It is no longer a European village; it has already become quite characteristically African. Blistered by the sunshine, it has scarcely a glimpse of the sea as it looks out from the inner recesses of its bay. A huge rock hangs over it and almost hides it—the Rock of Gibraltar, which thrusts out its promontory into the blue Mediterranean.

Gibraltar lives in my memory like a dream. I arrived by sea and at night in front of that huge granite block. All at once the ship stopped. A fantastic illumination arose against the black. It seemed to me that countless lights were twinkling upon the steps of an immense ladder that stretched up toward heaven. Cheers rang out from the deck of a battleship; they were the cheers of English sailors saluting their city—their citadel city—Gibraltar.

It is hollow, this Rock of Gibraltar. It is like an immense wine cellar, where the bottles are projectiles. Everywhere long galleries bristle with cannon, the cannon which Spain calls "The Old Lady's teeth." Gibraltar also resembles a vast ant hill, whose ants are soldiers. And these interminable galleries are filled with gunpowder and coal. At the foot of the rock beneath all this hidden life, monkeys are playing about the cactuses. One of them is chained at the door of a powder-house and makes faces at passers-by. Beside him stands a British soldier in khaki uniform, wearing the colonial helmet in use in the Indian army.

What an immeasurable distance seems to separate one from Europe in this military city, which seems to have been captured only yesterday. When night falls, a cannon-shot announces that the citadel is closed, and that no one may now enter the city. And khaki soldiers with a band of music at their head march through the streets with their fun-fare and drive before them a swarthy, mottled, picturesque and many-colored throng, whom they herd like a flock of sheep. "Move on," they cry, just as Dickens' policeman cried to little Joe. For these are the people of Algeciras who have come here to work, and who must now be sent home across the bay to Spain

Then another charming vision floats before my mind. Algeciras is an exquisite city—a little corner of Spain rarely visited by tourists and never frequented by Cook's caravans—the Spain of the olden times, the Spain of the ballads and legends of Victor Hugo and Théophile Gautier—a city all white and blue, with its quaint, low-built houses, its wrought-iron balconies, and its laurels and rosebushes a-blossom before its green-shaded windows. The streets are still and mournful, and the grass peeps up from between the cobblestones of the pavement. All is as silent as in a sun-baked city of the Orient. I come and go in this strange solitude. Through the half-closed doors I get a glimpse of delicious patios, inner courts adorned with fountains and azulejos, and with broad-leaved banana trees, laurel, roses and orange trees. A fragrance of flowers and ripe fruit hangs over all this drowsy town.

Now and then a white hand lifts a green windowshade, and through the grating I see the face of a beautiful woman. The young girls of Algeciras are the handsomest in Spain. Often of mixed Spanish and English blood, their mothers being dark-skinned Andalusians and their fathers blond officers of Gibraltar, they add Andalusian grace to British charm—Carmen plus Ophelia. Pensive faces, black locks and blue eyes appear among the flowers in the windows and look out into the silent street. It is a perfect vision de théatre, and I look sharp to see if it isn't merely a lovely stage-set for some comedy of Lope's or Calderon's.

A bell rings out, and thus called abruptly back to realities, I see the church in its little open square surrounded by trees and adorned with stone benches, where aged men sit smoking in silence. What is going on? The women are at prayer. They wear mourning. They groan as they pray, and their tears rain down upon their rosaries. Why are they weeping? Because they are widows and bereaved mothers, whose husbands and sons come no more back to them—dead in Cuba, that island so far, so very far, away? Others, more fortunate, returned yesterday—repatriated soldiers of Spain. And so—upon this charming stage with its picturesque setting—there is war!

In the highest of high spirits, those soldier boys invade the wine rooms of Algeciras and drink deep of the pale golden Amontillado. Their caps and guns are the sole remnants of their equipment; many have thrust their bare feet into their alpargates. They are laughing and singing. They walk with exquisite young girls—their sweethearts or novias—in the yellow, sun-scorched countryside about Algeciras, through fields of golden maize and among white cisterns surrounded by cactuses, where one meets superbly draped women, bearing water-jars on their heads and reminding one of some biblical apparition in a Judean setting. Gayly go the soldiers and the girls, gathering berries from the hedges and red blossoms from betwixt the spines of the cactuses, while down yonder in the gloomy church, women in mourning murmur prayers for those who will never return.

SANTA BARBARA MAYOR RESIGNS.

DOES NOT CARE TO ATTEND THE EVENING MEETINGS.

City Council Declines to Change the Time of Sessions so as to Hold Them Afternoons, Whereupon He Tenders Document by Which to Sever His Official Relations.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Because Mayor Thomas D. Wood did not want to attend meetings of the City Council held at night he passed in his resignation this evening to the great surprise of the entire community.

He was elected last month by a large majority over the Socialist nominee, and his election was heralded as a great boon to the city. Now because the majority of the Councilmen do not want to hold the Council meetings in the afternoons instead of evenings, he has tendered his resignation, to take effect February 2.

Mayor Wood is a wealthy and independent man. He has only been in office sixteen days and this was the third Council meeting in that period. His first official request was made tonight and the Council voted to place it on file. Then came the resignation and much confusion in the Council meeting. His successor will be chosen by the Council.

When seen by a Times reporter after his resignation Mr. Wood said: "Nothing more to say than I have resigned because I thought it was the proper thing to do under the circumstances. I resigned because I felt when I attend to the duties of the city during the day I should not be required to attend Council meetings at night. If a few members of the Council feel that they want to control the situation, I am willing that they should, and have withdrawn so that I will not interfere with them. I went in with the idea of giving my best effort to the position, but the Council has thoroughly ignored my first request in a way that does not please me. I am perfectly willing that they should have what they want."

DIRT TUMBLES OVER TRACK.

Three hundred feet of track on the Southern Pacific Benham cut-off were buried under thirty feet of dirt by the caving in of Rincon Hill this afternoon at a distance of eighteen miles south of this city.

The Benham cut-off was made to avoid the dangerous piece of track over which a train rolled down a fifty-foot bank two years ago. It was recently completed.

Thousands of tons of dirt rolled over the track as a result of the rains now falling here, and if the old line was not open to travel, all traffic would have been blocked for several days. Other landslides are feared before the present storm is ended. The main line is not affected by the avalanche.

FINDS FLOATING BODY.

John Swanson, a market fisherman, commonly known as "Oysters," reported that he had, while fishing a few miles off from this port yesterday afternoon, discovered the dead body of a man floating in the channel. He was accompanied by another fisherman, and they approached the remains near enough to discover that they were in an advanced state of putrefaction. They did not touch the body, but left it to float on the surface of the water undisturbed. Their report states that it was clothed in long rubber boots and a rubber coat.

Speculation is rife as to the identity of the drowned man, or from what locality the body has floated. The description of the clothing tallies with that of Boatswain Maguire of San Francisco, who was washed from the deck of the steamer State of California, but it is very improbable that the body of the unfortunate boatswain could have floated so far down the coast within the last ten days.

Capt. Merry of the sloop Wasnu, who has just returned from a trip to Santa Cruz Island, reports that he also discovered the body of a man floating in the channel. He was bound for the islands on a business trip and did not stop to pick up the corpse. He says it was clothed in a long oil-cloth coat and rubber boots. He believes it is Maguire's body.

OCEAN PARK.

SAND TOWN ITEMS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

OCEAN PARK, Jan. 18.—Plez James, scenting the pleasure ahead in a municipal campaign, is grooming for nomination for the office of City Clerk.

Mrs. Carrie E. Jacques, whose death occurred last night at the family home on Marine street, was the wife of George H. Jaques. She was 67 years of age.

VENICE.

SEA YIELDS LAND.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

VENICE, Jan. 18.—In the vicinity of the Windward avenue pier the land is forming so rapidly that it has the sea on the run. This accretion has made it necessary to again make extensions to the conduits that were built for the purpose of supplying the system of canals with fresh sea water with each recurring tide. Only a few weeks ago a 150-foot piece of intake pipe was added and now piles must be driven for a second annex. At the present rate of beach building it will be but a short time until the auditorium will be standing over clam flats.

CANAL TOWN DRIFT.

The growth of Venice is so rapid that the postoffice finds it a difficult matter to keep up with the procession. There are demands for more mail boxes than it is possible to supply, although there have already been several additions to the equipment of the office since it was established less than a year ago.

The date for the opening of the foreign exhibits building has been fixed for Monday next. Gov. Chamberlain of Oregon will be among those in attendance at the formal dedicatory exercises and a lively programme is being arranged for the afternoon.

A nervous freshman was dining with Thomas Herbert Warren, president of Magdalen College, Oxford. By way of starting conversation the latter glanced out of the window and remarked, "We have a little sun today," but he was astonished to receive the freshman's congratulations coupled with the hope that Mrs. Warren was doing well.—[Philadelphia Press.

QUICK WORK AT FIRE.

Dangerous Blaze in Hellman Building on Main Street Squelched in Record Time.

Chief Lips and his men put a speedy stop to what looked like a disastrous fire in the building, No. 120 North Main street, owned by H. W. Hellman, shortly before 1 o'clock this morning. Damage to the building and contents probably will not exceed $700.

The structure is a two-story brick, with storerooms on the ground floor and suites on the second floor. At 12:40 o'clock Bert T. Demmitt, a broker and jobber occupying a front suite, was awakened by the sound of breaking glass. At the same moment Mrs. J. Darrow, of the Darrow Employment Agency, and Mrs. M. King, who were sleeping in a rear room, were aroused by the crackling of the flames, and were almost overpowered by smoke before making their way to a back porch.

Demmitt immediately turned in an alarm from First and Main streets. The department responded so promptly that within five minutes lines of hose were in the building.

The fire started, no one knows how, in inside rooms on the second floor used by S. W. Buell as a candy-packing establishment. These rooms, with their contents, were burned out. The fire broke through hall windows into an areaway, which formed a shaft to suck the flames up through the roof, which at that point is glass-covered. A very dangerous fire was blazing when the department arrived. It was quickly subdued.

SHAKESPEARE, CHRISTIAN.

The Bard's References to the Deity Deep and Sincere, Says Frederick Warde.

Last night at Dobinson Hall Frederick Warde delivered the fifth of his lectures on Shakespeare. The rain kept many people away, but those that went enjoyed a talk that was unique in many ways. Mr. Warde took for his title "Shakespeare, Apostle of Christianity."

The general feeling about Shakespeare's Christianity, Mr. Warde said, is that it is the Cromwellian kind—his God is the God of Battles and his humility that of a soldier stooping to buckle on his armor. While this is in a large measure true, Mr. Warde showed that there was a deepness and sincerity—even a sweetness—in all the references to the Deity. Henry V and even blood-stained Richard pray with faith and sincerity before the battle, but the insincere Claudius cannot falter out his petition.

Mr. Warde illustrated his point of view by recitals from "Henry VIII," "Hamlet," "Henry V," "Richard III" and the "Merchant of Venice." By request he also gave Portia's speech beginning, "The quality of mercy is not strained," and the "Seven Ages of Man," to illustrate some of Shakespeare's philosophy.

Tonight the lecture will be on the "Merchant of Venice." The subject will be divided into four headings: Venice, the elopement of Jessica, the choice of the caskets, and the trial scene.

ONE YEAR'S FAILURES.

Statistics of Southern California Showing Kinds of Business and Reasons.

Statistics of failures in Southern California, as compiled by the Los Angeles office of the Bradstreet Company, show that for 1906 there were 206 of them, of which 136 were in Los Angeles. The liabilities aggregated $799,614 and the assets $452,385.

These failures were distributed by classification of business in the following order: Art goods 2, bakeries 4, bicycles and automobiles 7, blacksmiths 1, books and stationery 2, cigars 17, clothing 9, coffee, teas and spices 2, confectionery 5, contractors 18, dairies 2, drugs 2, dry goods 4, fruits 4, furniture 9, gas and electric fixtures 3, general merchandise 6, groceries 29, hardware 1, harness 5, hotels 7; jewelry 4, laundry 1, livery 2, lumber 3, meats 5, millinery 2, oil 2, pool and billiards 2, produce 2, plumbing 2, restaurants 20, saloons 3, shoes 1, storage 1, tailors 5, wall paper 1, miscellaneous 10.

Following is a statement of percentages showing the assigned causes of failure: Twenty-seven per cent. because of incompetence, which includes lack of judgment, tact or general ability; 24 per cent. because of inexperience where the general qualifications were good, but not sufficient experience in the particular business engaged in; 20 per cent. because of undertaking to do too much business for capital employed; 14 per cent. were due to neglect of business and doubtful habits; 4 per cent. for each of the following reasons: reckless crediting; unfavorable external circumstances; fraudulent disposition; 3 per cent. because of undue competition; 2 per cent. because of speculation outside of legitimate business; 1 per cent. because of personal extravagance.

INTERRUPTED ROBBERY.

The plans of two crooks to burglarize the store of Barker Bros., No. 429 South Spring street, were frustrated at midnight last night by a watchman in the building. Hearing the approach of the special officers within the building, the men made a hasty getaway, and the police had little upon which to build a foundation for their investigation, owing to the time which elapsed before they were called in. The footprints of the two men were plainly discernible, showing that they had entered from the Main-street side of the building. Apparently it was the intention of the marauders to crack the safe, but the interruption met with from the watchmen put a sudden end to their plans.

SLAVE TRADE GROWING.

Deplorable Condition in British Columbia, Where Girls of Indian Descent are Sold Into Bondage.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

WINNIPEG (Manitoba) Jan. 15.—According to a report presented to the Dominion government, the slave trade of Northern British Columbia is flourishing. Girls with white skins, thick brown hair braided down their backs, big, innocent, childish eyes are being sold today and have been sold for years to the highest bidder. The slave masters are the Cape Mudge Indians; the slaves are white because their grandmothers before them were sold to white men and when these abandoned and deserted creatures wandered back to their tribe they brought with them baby girls.

Sometimes they have been sold for four and five consecutive generations and in the generation now growing up practically no trace of Indian blood can be seen. They have pink and white cheeks, blue eyes and fair hair. There have grown up slave dealers in Cape Mudge who have became wealthy in this traffic. They have created a market which is constantly increasing and the demand has become so great that other markets have been sought. It is reported that the Rock Bay Indians are also engaging in the slave trade. It has reached that point at Cape Mudge where young girls will be sold unless the governments step in and put a stop to the traffic.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union office for Edith M. Myers, George & Foss, Mrs. Katherine R. Parie, Frank F. Clapp, F. S. Shaw, Joe Powers, Jack Hurt, R. E. Hansen, Da. Ralph Arnold.

LABOR.

MORE OUT ... "OPEN ...

STRIKING PRINTERS ... YORK GETTING ...

Now Eighteen Places ... bers of Typothetae ... "Open Shop" ... Enough to Fill All the ... Rooms, Says Mr. ...

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE ...]

NEW YORK, Jan. ... Dispatch.] Four more ... and stereotyping ... fourteen "open-shop" ... today, making in all ... where members of the ... may have their work done ... shop basis. These ... Gair and the United ... Company in Brooklyn, ... Bros. and the Burr ... in Manhattan.

In the Typothetae ... was said that eight ... typers had quit work, ... places would quickly be ... employers would suffer ... ence. Isaac F. Marcosson ... the Typothetae, said:

"This strike of ... stereotypers, instead of ... matters, has cleared ... It has placed the ... typers and electrotypers ... and made victory for the ... assured. Besides, this ... strated the desperation ... resorting to a sympathetic ...

"The fact that many ... are working under the ... rangement in small shops ... tle. It is a result of the ... the union and the ... concerns of the Typothetae ... tell the story.

"We were never on ... tory as at the present ... today's arrivals we ... enough to fill all the ... but we shall continue ... men to fill natural wastes."

VOTING ON STRIKE ...

D., L. & W. FIREMEN ...

[BY THE ASSOCIATED ...]

SCRANTON (Pa.) Jan. ... eral Grievance Committee ... ware, Lackawanna and ... men is tonight canvassing ... the men of the different ... question as to whether or ... strike. It is said that the ... favor of striking, but this ... mean that a strike will be ... once or at all. The ... be indorsed by the ...

Building Trades ...

CHICAGO, Jan. ... of the building trades ... was for peace. ... terday joined their ... ranging a friendly ... conditions for three ... ters are asking for an ... and the iron workers ... conditions. Conferences ... on both sides in the ... signed by the Steam Fitters' ... will receive slight ... will submit to them ... without change.

"You're trying to ... How do you like it?"

"Well, there's no ... [Philadelphia Press.

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THE WEATHER.

BRIEF REPORT.

...HCAST.—For Los Angeles and vicin... Clearing; colder; light north winds.

...TERDAY.—Maximum temperature ... minimum, 50 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., ... velocity, 11 miles; 5 p.m., southwest; ... was 47 deg.; clear.

...ations for storm, 2.20 inches. Sea... ... 7.11 inches.

...clear.

...RECAST.—For San Francisco and vi... Fair, possibly light frost in the ... light north wind, changing to ... westerly.

...complete weather report, including ... temperatures, will be found on ... part II.]

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TROOPS FOR EL PASO.

...ton, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dis... ...The Second Battalion of the ...Fifth Infantry arrived today to ...the First Battalion of the ...Fifth Infantry at Fort Bliss. ...The First battalion goes to Fort Lo... ...The new battalion is from the ...Fifth and is composed of colored ...veterans of the Spanish... ...All veterans of the Spanish... ...The youngest man in ...who has had nine years' serv...

Notices of ... Hundreds ... Road—Many ... tion of Settl... erty Valued ...

[BY DIRECT ...]

PITTSBURG ... clusive Dispat... sylvania, thro... missioner, has ... tion on hundr... the old nation... Cumberland, ... and thence int... squatters repr... fifth generation ... lived on "The ... are wealthy, ... includes reside... mills, factories ... ters are given ...

The old pike ... of Congress in ... and sixty-six ... been passed r... the road travel... other Southern ... Recently the ... pike over to the ... which it passes, ... determine to ... width, 66 feet. ... gone by, settlers ... gradually been ... the land cost th... cently the Pen... began a tour of ... one of the ... "spotted."

The squatters ... from the Maryl... Ohio, and embra... ditions of people ... of persons, ever... have to move ba... built along the ... will entail a va... and expense, an... erty whose tota... millions of dolla... determined to h... stored.

EX-PRESIDEN...

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